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IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY.
ORDINARY ORIGINAL CIVIL JURISDICTION.
SUIT No. 123 OF 1887.

HORMASJEE CURSETJEE DUBASH of Bombay, Parsee Inhabitant, residing at Parell ..... Plaintiff.
vs.
SORABAI, widow of FRAMJEE BYRAMJEE WAS, deceased, of Bombay, Parsee Inhabitant, DINSHAW FRAMJEE ALLIBHAI of Bombay, Parsee Inhabitant, both residing at Breach Candy Road, KHIMJI JEWA and VALABDAS JAIRAM, the executors of the will of DEWKA VARDU, widow of DAMODHER HSERJEE, deceased, of Bombay, Hindoo Inhabitant, residing at Mowlana Street, and VISHRUCKDAS ATMARAM, of Bombay, Hindoo Inhabitant, residing at Cawasji Patel Tank Road, and the Perseverance Flour Mills and Iron Foundry Company, limited, a company formed under the Indian Companies Act, 1882 and having its registered office at Church Gate Street and hereinafter called the defendants the said Company ..... Defendants.

WHEREAS by a decree made in the above suit on the 19th day of April, 1888, it was ordered that the following property should be sold by the Sheriff of Bombay as Special Commissioner namely:—

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Secondly.—All those the land, messuage, hereditaments and premises, parcel of land or ground by an Indenture of Lease, dated the Thirty-first day of May, One Thousand Eight hundred and Seventy-seven, and devised for the term of ten years unto the plaintiffs mortgage Framji Byramji Vas, together with two other persons, containing by admeasurement One Thousand Eight hundred and seventy-four yards or thereabouts, registered in the books of the collector of Land Revenue under Nos. 2185, 2187, 2188, and 2189 together with the messuage or tenement standing thereon, assessed in the Books of the Municipality under No. 33 and 34, which said piece of land, messuage, and hereditaments are situated on the west side of Tank Street, in the sub-district of Fort, in the Island of Bombay, and are bounded on the east by the said Tank Street, on the west partly by a public road and partly by a piece of vacant ground belonging to Government, and partly by the vacant ground of Vussonjee Valabdass, on the north by the vacant ground of the said Valabdass Vussonjee, and on the south by the said public road, which said lease was determined by effluxion of time on the Tenth day of May, One Thousand Eight hundred and Eighty-seven, and before the hearing of this suit together with all the rights, easements and appurtenances thereto belonging, and all and singular, the engines, boilers, mill gear, millwright work, both fixed and moveable, machinery, implements then or thereafter fixed to, placed upon, or to be fixed, or to be placed upon, and in or about the said hereditaments and premises or any of them or any part thereof, all such engine, boilers, mill gear, millwright work, machinery, implements, and utensils, at the date of the said Indenture, fixed to, or placed upon, or, had in or about the said premises, specified in the schedule annexed to the said Indenture of mortgage.

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A. E. OLIVER,
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ARRIVALS.—The following vessels arrived—On ...h :—Steamer (s.), from Hongkong. Yesterday ...ett, steamer (s), from Melbourne; and Eden ...rpoot.
...AND.—The Khandalla (s), sailed yesterday ...tta and Coast.
...a Dock.—The s. s. Sorrento entered the dock ...th
... Dock.—The s. s. Segra entered the dock ...h and the s. s. Bothwell Castle and Amphi... ...ered it yesterday.
...AND C. I. RAILWAY.—The increase in goods ...or the week ending 18th ult. was 93,846 ... in money Rs. 32,193.
... GYMKHANA.—There will be a ... this morning at 11-30 between two ... on the Gymkhana ground.
...TICKETS BY THE B. B. and C. I. RAILWAY.—... ...ppears that a number of season ... the B. B. and C. I. Railway intend to ... meeting in order to send in a protest ... recent increase in the rates for some of ... season tickets.
...ON A VALUABLE ORNAMENT.—Mr. Choonilal ...a reported to the police that on Thursday ...visited the Shrawak Temple at Pydownee, ...on return home she discovered a gold pendant ...ge of a nose ring with diamonds, emeralds, ...ost the value of Rs. 1,500, had dropped ...path.
...URIES A RAILWAY COMPANY.—Mr. Hamilton ...ined a Borah, Alybhoy Cumroodin, Rs. 50 ...a false declaration with regard to certain ... sent by the B. B. and C. I. Railway ... The accident described the goods wrongly ... as Rs. 20 less for them than he would have ...he had described them in their proper ...
...SECOND MUNICIPAL ELECTIONS.—A public ...meeting of the residents of the Girgaum ...ward was held in Cama Baug, Khetwadi, to-morrow, ...for the purpose of considering what steps ...taken to ensure the return of competent ...dates to the Corporation on behalf of the ... and residents of the ward at the next ...General Election.
...ASSAULT.—Ismail Hajee Essack, living ...ar Street, has reported to the police that ...two gold rings, one set with a large ...surrounded with six diamonds, and the ...seven diamonds, of the value of Rs. 380, ...were attached to a chain, which was left in ...of complainant's *godra*, which was hanging ...in his office, on Thursday last.
...HOLIDAYS.—The Jewish New Year com... ...on Thursday, the 7th inst., and is celebrated ...known as the Feast of Trumpets, all busi... ...suspended for three days. Their offices ...opened to-morrow, Sunday, for the resump... ...business. In continuation of their new ...celebration, they will observe next Friday ...day as the day of atonement (Kipur), on ...observe a fast from evening to evening, ...being also closed for those two days.
...—An inquest was held by the coroner yes... ...the J. J. Hospital, touching the death of ...woman, aged 45 years. Deceased was married ...driver six weeks ago, and lived with him in ...bhoy Lane. Since her marriage she was ...by her husband, who was addicted to drink. ...day she was found lying unconscious, suffer... ...the effects of opium, and was removed to ...l, where she died shortly after admission. ...of suicide was recorded.
...A FARE.—At the Fort Police Court yes... ...spector McGormack charged Santa Kalapa, ... Hamilton, with refusing to take a passenger. ...had been hailed by Mr. King, a bailiff, and ...drive to the Fort. Instead of doing so he ...nnas for the trip, though the fare was four, ...d to give Mr. King. He was then given ... In defence the accused said he had asked ...cause he knew he would be offered less. ...for the legal fare he would have been ...nnas. The magistrate fined him eight ...
...POCKET.—Yesterday, at the Fort Police ...Keshowjee was charged by Inspector Sana... ...Mr. Crawley-Boevey, with stealing a silver ...d at Rs. 8, from the pocket of a Hindoo ...ple at Moombadavie, on Tuesday last. ...ng reported to the police the man was ...bsequently the ankles was recovered ...smith to whom he had disposed of it. ... convicted and sentenced to six ...prisonment, and further to receive ...
...GED FORGER.—Richard Marshal ...ed about 37 years, was arrested ..., on Tuesday evening, while ...Office, where he had called to ... appears that Andree stands ...d criminal misappropriation ... and Hatton, in March, 1886, ...d with the offence before ...anded to the 14th instant. ... from the Ceylon police, ...ted with.
...ff Bowan, living in Nag... ...eported to the police that dur... ...n home, on Wednesday night, some ...ed his premises by an open window and ...8 in cash, and gold and silver ornaments, ...s. 113, from the premises.—Vega Bookun ...mehta, living in a house at Ramwady, has ...the police, that on Wednesday night his ...ntered through a window, and gold and ...ents, gold embroidered caps, wearing ...honey, of the value of Rs. 133, were ...cupboard.
...ROBBERY.—Suttoo Mahadoo was yesterday ... Inspector Wilson, before Mr. P. Ryan, ...a gold nosk ornament, valued at Rs. 6, ...ce of Jaloo, girl aged about 10 years, ...of Bungajee Sunjoo, in Bellasis Road. On ...ecause the girl was taking her father's ...to a shroff's shop, when she met the ...to pulled the ornament from her nosk and ...y with it. She reported the matter to her ...arrested the accused in a liquorshop with ...nt in his possession, and handed him over ...ice. Pleading guilty to the charge the ... sentenced to three months' rigorous ...nt.
...Mr. DAMODAR M. KAPADIA.—We are sorry ...the death of Mr. Damodar Manjee Kapadia, ...n of Messrs. Mansukhlal and Damodar, ...High Court, which took place on the 6th ...10-30 p.m. He was the first graduate in ...Law of the Bombay University and is ...the Bhatia community, and commanded ...ractice. The deceased was only 32 years ...e office of Messrs. Mansukhlal and Damodar ...yesterday in honour of the deceased. ...n and unexpected death has cast a gloom ...atia community, and his numerous friends ...regret his loss. His ability and genial ...made him a favourite with all who came ...with him.
...'s LODGES.—Bangoon Bakree was yester... ...t up on remand, and charged by Inspector ...before Mr. P. Ryan, with stealing gold ...ornaments and wearing apparel, of the ...s. 119, the property of Radha, woman, ...ouse in Falkland Road, on the 7th April last. ...d was a lodger with the prosecutrix, and on ...question, during her absence, he broke ...oxes and stole the articles absconded. ...tter being reported to the police, the man ...d to a village called Johar, in the ...district, and a portion of the property ...from Marwarrees, with whom the accused ...d them. Pleading guilty, the culprit was ...ced to six months' rigorous imprisonment.
...ING DUTY.—Captain Stanley charged John ... and T. Wilkinson, firemen, before Mr. ...ilton, with refusing duty during the passage ...iverpool to Bombay. The men, it was ...d hardly any work during the whole voyage, ...they were sick shortly after leaving Eng... ...defence the men stated they had been ill, ...plaining of sore hands due to sunburn. ...ded that he was very weak yet, as he had been ...bread and water for a week. His Worship re... ...looked well enough. Captain Stanley said ...not look starved. His Worship asked if their ...been stopped. The Captain replied it had, and ...owed the ship money. (Laughter.) Mr. ...sent the men to jail for four weeks.
...F BAZAAR IN AID OF THE BANDORA LITERARY ...IAL CLUB.—A fancy bazaar is to be opened ...ow, at Bandora Hill, near the Chapel of "Our ...of the Mount," in aid of the Club Library. The ...Literary and Social Club was founded in May, ...Mr. Philip R. Valladares. The Association aims ...ing the social status of the East-Indian com... ...Under the auspices of the Club, Mr. Valladares ...d a reading-room and library. For a long ...the inhabitants of Bandora laboured under the ...disadvantage of having no proper reading room. ...ess, however, supplied by Mr. Valladares, ...ched soon assiduously on behalf of the reading... ...and library, and successfully overcame the ...s and expenses. Although the reading... ...still in its infancy, the popularity it has ...oads to the hope that the earnest endeavours ...anaging committee will year by year meet ...ter support, and be more highly appreciated ...ublic. The bazaar will remain open for a ...
...A FIRE.—A correspondent writes :—The ...dora Hill is yearly becoming more popular, ...account of the beautiful little chapel dedi... ...Virgin situated on the summit of the hill. ...the Mediatrix commences from to-mor... ...Great faith is placed ...virtues of the statue, which is ...the side ...maimed, and accordingly ...x of ears, eyes, arms, and legs ...p-keepers on the road for sale, which ...notice buy and offer at the shrine, ...ing hearts. If Bandora is worth ...this period. The scene is most ...and absolute complete... ...ways in both ...

BOMBAY UNIVERSITY SENATE.

At its meeting on Thursday, the Senate of the Bombay University concluded the discussion on the draft University Bill, which, with the amendments made therein, was finally agreed to as a whole. The Hon. Dr. Mackichan, Vice-Chancellor, presided; and the attendance of fellows was, if anything, a degree smaller than on previous occasions.

A QUESTION OF QUORUM.

Dr. R. N. Khory proposed an amendment in section 23, which, among other things, stated that no question shall be decided at any meeting unless the Chancellor or Vice-Chancellor and eleven fellows, or in the absence of the Chancellor and Vice-Chancellor, unless twelve fellows at the least shall be present at the time of the decision. He moved that for eleven should be substituted nineteen, and for twelve should be substituted twenty fellows. Dr. Khory said that although the number had been increased from five to ten in the Bill, still it was too small for the purpose required. Even in a body like the Municipal Corporation of Bombay, which consisted of sixty-two members, there were twenty-five members required to form a quorum. Whenever that body was not able to secure a quorum, they adjourned, but required no quorum whatever at the next meeting. But there was no such arrangement made in the Bill. The number fixed in the Bill was too small, especially when the Senate had to consider important questions affecting the interests of the University.

Dr. Bhalchundra Krishna seconded the amendment.

Dr. Peterson thought that the number fixed by the Syndicate was sufficient for all practical purposes. Eleven fellows could not call a meeting of the Senate for the purpose of passing any measure without giving them at least a fortnight's notice.

The Hon. Mr. Latham observed that experience had shown that it was often very difficult to find even a small quorum of members to transact business. They had a larger proportion of quorum than that of the House of Commons.

The amendment was then put to the vote and was lost, the section 23 as it stood was passed as a substantive motion.

EXECUTIVE GOVERNMENT OF THE UNIVERSITY.

Section 23 says, that the executive government of the University shall, subject to the provisions of this Act and to the bye-laws duly made, be vested in a Syndicate consisting of the Vice-Chancellor and ten of the fellows, and the said fellows shall be elected for one year by the several faculties in such proportions as may from time to time be determined by bye-laws made on that behalf.

The Hon. Mr. Latham, on behalf of Professor Oxenham, who was absent, moved that the section be omitted, because the Senate on the last occasion decided to omit section 21, and they had nothing for section 23 to operate upon. The same reasons which applied to the rejection of section 21 also applied to section 23.

Mr. M. N. Wadia seconded the amendment, which was carried.

APPOINTMENT AND REMOVAL OF EXAMINERS, &c.

Section 24 gave full power to the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, and fellows for the time being, either by themselves, or by the Syndicate, to appoint, and as they shall see occasion, to remove University professors and examiners, officers and servants of the said University; and to this end, to make such bye-laws as to them shall seem expedient.

The Hon. Mr. Justice Nanabhai Haridas moved that the words "either by themselves or by the Syndicate" be omitted. He thought that the addition of these words, which did not occur in the old Act, would show that some change in the meaning was intended.

Dr. Hojel seconded the amendment only with the view of expressing his opinion on a particular point in the section. The Syndicate were given a power in the section which they ought not to be in possession of. He did not think that it ought to be in the power of the Syndicate to appoint or remove the Registrar, who was the principal officer of the University, without reference to the Senate.

The Hon. Mr. Latham pointed out that the present bye-laws made it incumbent upon the Syndicate, subject to the revision and control of the Senate, to appoint or remove examiners and officers of the University.

After some discussion, the amendment was rejected; the original section being carried as a substantive motion.

QUALIFICATION FOR ADMISSION OF CANDIDATES FOR DEGREES.

Section 26 says: "Except by special order of the Syndicate, no person shall be admitted as a candidate for the degree of Bachelor of Arts, Bachelor of Science, Master of Arts, Bachelor of Laws, Licentiate or Bachelor of Medicine, Doctor of Medicine, or Licentiate or Master of Civil Engineering, or such other degree, not being an honorary degree, as can be conferred by the University, unless he shall present to the said Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, and fellows, a certificate from one or more of the institutions recognised on that behalf by the University, or shall otherwise satisfy the Syndicate, to the effect that he has completed the course of instruction and has passed the preliminary examinations prescribed by the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, and fellows of the said University, in the bye-laws to be made by them under the power in that behalf given by this Act." Dr. R. N. Khory moved that the words "except by special order of the Syndicate" be struck out, or, if retained, for the word "Syndicate" the word "Senate" should be substituted. He said that the powers referred to in this section could be better and more fully discussed by the larger body of the Senate than by the Syndicate. It would avoid favouritism being shown to any influential man applying for grace. The Syndicate might be induced to pass a grace which, when brought before the Senate, might be modified to meet particular circumstances of the case.

Dr. Bhalchundra Krishna seconded the amendment.

Mr. V. A. Modak did not see any reason why the power given to the Senate under the old Act should be transferred to the Syndicate. Applicants for special grace could have easier access to the Syndicate consisting of four persons, than in the case of the Senate, which was such a large body.

Dr. Peterson said he had listened with astonishment and pain to the remarks of Dr. Khory and Mr. Modak. Referring to the past history of the University, he said that the first gentleman, who applied for grace, was personally entirely unknown to the Syndicate living as he did in the remote corner of the Madras Presidency. The remarks made as to the Syndicate being open to influence, was extremely insulting to such a high body. Experience, on the other hand, showed that passion and prejudice came in when a similar question of grace in the case of a particular student who had failed in the Civil Service examination was brought forward for discussion before the Senate. He thought that the questions referred to in the section could be more calmly and dispassionately discussed in a chamber where about twelve men met than in a body where more heated discussion was possible.

The Hon. Mr. Latham gave the views of the select committee, of which he was a member, in this matter. He said that this was essentially a judicial function which was not suited for a large body, and one in which, as had been observed by some of the previous speakers, canvassing and soliciting of influence ought to be put an end to as strictly as possible. He agreed with Dr. Peterson that a small body would feel responsibility greatly greater than a larger one. The sense of individual responsibility was much diluted in a body consisting of some two or three hundred members. It was impossible to discuss such questions as the keeping of terms and the passing of preliminary examinations without referring more or less to personal matters. The Senate would remember the extremely unpleasant nature of the discussion which took place in that body, when a grace to the son of one of their most respected members was the subject of discussion. It was necessary in cases like these to discuss the merits or demerits of applicants for grace, which could much better be discussed privately by a small body than by a large one in whose proceedings the public took an interest to some extent, and which were published in the newspapers the next day. The select committee were of opinion that the privilege would be better confided to the small than to the large body. The Syndicate could be thoroughly trusted with the exercise of that power.

The Hon. Mr. Justice Birdwood, agreeing with Dr. Peterson and the last speaker, observed that the granting of a grace to a particular candidate referred to by the previous speakers was the subject of much bitter discussion on the floor of the house. He very well remembered members, who spoke in favour of the question of grace, including Principal Wordsworth, one of the most respected members of the Senate, being hooted by under-graduates, who stood at the door-way of the house. This was a matter which had made very great impression upon his mind. That was a strong reason that such matters ought not in the future to be dealt with by the Senate. The Senate for some reason or another had lost confidence in the Syndicate. (*Cries of* "No, no.") He was, however, strongly of opinion that matters like those must be entrusted to the Syndicate in the future.

The amendment was declared to be lost. Section 26 was then passed as it stood as a substantive motion.

EXAMINATION FOR DEGREES.

Section 27 says: "The said Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, and fellows shall cause an examination for degrees to be held at least once in every year; in every such examination the candidates shall be examined by examiners to be appointed as provided in Section 22 of this Act; and in every such examination the candidates, whether candidates for an ordinary degree or for a degree with honour, shall be examined on such subjects and in such manner as the said Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, and fellows shall appoint, and subject to such subsidiary rules as the Syndicate may prescribe."

The Hon. Mr. Justice Nanabhai moved an amendment that the words "subject to such subsidiary rules as the Syndicate may prescribe" be omitted. These words, he said, proposed to give power to the Syndicate which they had not hitherto possessed. If the Syndicate wished to make any subsidiary rules, why should they not submit them to the Senate for their sanction? The object of the clause seemed to him that, instead of being subject to the Senate, the Syndicate wanted to be independent of that body. (Hear, hear, and laughter.) If the Senate wanted to abdicate their functions they could not do it in a better way than by saying to the Syndicate, "Oh, we are troubled and we are overburdened; take this portion of our burden upon your shoulders, and let us remain free." (Loud laughter.) A smaller body was deemed to be better able to take charge of these matters than a larger one. (Renewed laughter.) Mr. Nanabhai said that if that proposition was proved to the satisfaction of the larger body, the Senate, let them retire altogether in favour of the smaller body, and recommend Government to remove every one of the fellows, keeping only the Syndicate, who might be called the University. (Loud laughter and applause.) The Syndicate, as an executive body, should confine themselves to executive functions only. The whole object of the new Act seemed to him to deprive the Senate of its powers of control over the Syndicate.

Mr. Bhautaram Narayen seconded the amendment.

Mr. Birdwood said that the proposed section was a very necessary one, and, indeed, only gave effect to the existing practice. The subsidiary rules contemplated by the section were merely the rules or instructions issued to examiners before each examination. They were required by the examiners for their guidance, and he could see how they could well be dispensed with, unless the Senate had lost all confidence in the Syndicate, which, indeed, to judge from the tone of some of the speeches that he had listened to during this debate, was probably the case. (Cries of "No! no!") Of course, if the Senate thought that the drafts of instructions to examiners could best be settled after full and formal discussion at meetings of the Senate, it was open to them to give effect to that view. As he himself did not share in it, he should vote against the amendment.

The Hon. Mr. Latham, agreeing with the last speaker, said that the Syndicate for many years past had been issuing rules for the conduct of examinations which, if they knew, the Senate would never care to trouble themselves with.

On a division, the amendment was lost, the section being passed as it stood in the Bill.

GRANT OF DEGREES.

Section 28 runs as follows:—"At the conclusion of any examination of the candidates for degrees the examiners shall report to the Syndicate the name of every candidate whom they shall deem entitled to any of the said degrees, and his proficiency in relation to other candidates; and also the honours which he may have gained in respect of his proficiency in that department of knowledge in which he seeks to graduate; and when the Syndicate shall have approved the report such candidate shall be presented by a Dean of a Faculty for the degree to which he is entitled, and having been admitted thereto by the Senate he shall receive from the said Chancellor a certificate, under the seal of the said University of Bombay, and signed by the said Chancellor or Vice-Chancellor, in which the particulars of the degree conferred on him and of any accompanying class or grade of honour shall be declared."

Professor G. W. Forrest proposed an amendment that the words "report to the Syndicate" be omitted, and that the word "declare" be inserted; also, that the words "when the Syndicate shall have approved the report" be omitted. He said that the only reason he asked the Senate to strike out these words was that they would affect the full responsibility which, he thought, the examiners should have in conducting their duties. Having had some experience during the past few years in conducting University examinations, he could say that the task was a very invidious one. It was the painful duty of examiners to have to plack a large number of candidates, a majority of whom, as a rule, believed that their failure was due more to the examiners than to their own ignorance. His experience had taught him that the examinations were conducted with the utmost care. In the case of the examination of the English language, there were about five examiners, who all carefully went through the papers, and also having examined the candidates *viva voce*, met together and assigned to each candidate the number of marks he deserved. The five responsible examiners when they came to a deliberate conclusion finally declared their results to the Syndicate. According to the section, the examiners were not to "declare" their results, but to "report" them to the Syndicate. This would affect the responsibility of the examiners who would not at all be willing to undertake the task without having the full confidence of the Syndicate. He thought that the deliberate decision of the examiners ought to be beyond cavil. If the examiners only submitted their report, and not declared the results to the Syndicate, it would encourage about three thousand candidates, who appeared for the examinations, to write to the Syndicate that their cases might be considered before they decided upon the report of the examiners. This would entail heavy labour without any fruit.

Dr. Khory, in seconding the amendment, observed that all the University should care for was that independent and competent examiners were appointed.

Dr. Peterson said that if the report or the decision of the examiners was to be made final, without any reference to the Syndicate, the Senate made no provision whatever for cases in which there was a failure of the proper discharge of his duties on the part of the examiner. If the Senate could issue instructions to examiners for the proper conduct of the examinations, it must follow that they should have the power of stopping in and satisfying themselves that those instructions had been complied with.

Mr. Birdwood said that this section was not really of the alarming character pictured by Professor Forest. The Syndicate never dreamt of constituting themselves as a Court of Appeal from the decisions of examiners. Those decisions, so far as they related to the assessment of marks, were final; and no examiner could ever be interfered with, or dictated to, as regards any such matter. The Syndicate had shown their determination to respect the independence of examiners most unmistakably in the course of the last two years, by resolutely declining to grant grace marks. They held that if there is any ground for reassessing any allotment of marks, the papers can only be examined again by the examiners themselves, who alone can judge whether any ground exists for saying that the marks at first allotted were correct or not. He himself approached this question as much from the point of view of an examiner as a Syndic, for during the first eight years that examinations were held by this University, he was frequently an examiner, though he had not been able to give any help in that way during the last twenty years, and he was distinctly of opinion that, for the present and for many years yet, it would be advisable that examiners should report to the Syndicate. They must report to some one. The declaration that Professor Forrest wished to substitute for a report differed from a report only in name. It was to all intents and purposes a report. It was not clear to whom or where Professor Forrest wished his declaration made. The amendment to that extent was defective. The reason for making the report to the Syndicate was that the Syndicate might be in a position, in necessary cases, to enforce their own rules, issued to examiners under the section just adopted by the Senate. That was necessary to prevent poss ble hardship. The very case brought under the notice of the Senate at the first of its sittings showed how necessary was the existing arrangement, to which the proposed section merely intended to give effect. Those young men who failed by a mark at the last Matriculation Examination had their cases reconsidered by the examiners, at the request of the Syndicate in the manner already explained by him, and the result was that in some cases the examiners after consultation were able to raise their marks. There was also another case where a complaint was made that two examiners had not consulted together about a certain paper, or the answers to it according to the rules. The complaint was enquired into, and such complaints ought always to be enquired into. Twenty years hence perhaps it might be possible to dispense with the safeguards provided by the section; but it would be absurd for us just at present to adopt the system in force at Cambridge and the other British Universities, where the systems of examination had been brought to a high state of perfection, and where it was possible to secure absolutely faultless examiners. We were in a very different position here. We were yet in our infancy. We made the best use of the material we had ready to our hands. We took great care in selecting the best examiners available, and then we trusted fully the men we appointed. We only wished to retain the power of redressing just grievances.

After further discussion, the amendment was put to the vote and lost by a narrow majority.

In the same section 28, the words "by a Dean of a Faculty" were, on the motion of Mr. Latham, omitted.

"AD EUNDEM" DEGREES.

Dr. R. N. Khory moved that section 29 be omitted. It says:—"In the case of any person holding from a University in India or in the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland a degree of a denomination ordinarily conferred by the University of Bombay, the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, and fellows may, on the recommendation of the Syndicate, confer on such person a like degree in the University of Bombay." Dr. Khory said that if the section was allowed to stand, it would cause great injustice to the graduates of this University.

The Hon. Mr. Latham explained that these *ad eundem* degrees were granted by the English Universities. If a graduate of the Bombay University went to Oxford or Cambridge for the purpose of residing there, he might be granted an *ad eundem* degree by the Universities of those places.

On a division, the amendment was lost.

FEES FOR ADMISSION TO EXAMINATIONS.

Section 31 says:—"The said Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, and fellows shall have power to charge such reasonable fees for admission to the examinations, both preliminary and final, for the degrees to be conferred by them, and upon admission into the said University, and for continuance therein, and for things to be done by the said University on the application of any person and for certificates, statements, and information obtained from the said University or its officers or servants, as the said Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, and fellows, as they shall from time to time see fit to impose." Dr. Khory proposed that the line commencing with "and for continuation" up to "officers or servants" should be omitted.

On a division, the amendment was lost; and the consideration of the Bill was concluded.

CONGRATULATIONS BY THE VICE-CHANCELLOR.

The Vice-Chancellor said: I should like to congratulate the Senate on the conclusion of this long debate. I would also like to say that, while there has been a great amount of apparent difference of opinion revealed in the course of our discussions, I believe that, when we have seen the amended Act printed, we shall all of us realise more than we have done in the course of a long discussion how very little the Act has been changed. I feel sure that the distinguished framer of the Act will, when he sees the new form, recognise in it the best lineaments of his own off-spring, and when it comes back to us accepted by the Supreme Government, we shall be able to accept it as one of the best gifts of our late Vice-Chancellor to this University. (Applause.)

Some matters of a miscellaneous character remain to be disposed of; and the Senate adjourned until Monday afternoon.

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MILITARY NEWS.

LIEUTENANT H. B. B. NEWNHAM, Royal Fusiliers proceeds to Poona to join the 1st Battalion of his regiment.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL F. W. STRIKE, R.A., Inspector-General of Ordnance, has been promoted to Colonel in the army.

LIEUTENANTS M. L. J. GORDON and W. C. Lockhart-Mure, 4th Bombay Cavalry, Poona Horse, are attached to the 7th Hussars for a course of equitation.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL R. BULLOCH is appointed Judicial Commissioner of the Hyderabad Assigned Districts, *vice* Colonel K. J. L. Mackenzie, until further orders.

MAJOR J. J. S. CHISHOLME, 9th Lancers, is appointed Military Secretary to the Commander-in-Chief, Madras, *vice* J. A. F. H. Stewart Mackenzie, resigned.

CAPTAIN K. S. DAVISON, 4th Bengal Cavalry, and Lieutenant S. H. Godfrey, 24th Bombay Infantry, have been attached to the Intelligence Branch of the Quarter-master-General's office.

AUSTRALIAN HORSES FOR INDIA.

"A DISGUSTED Horse Shipper" writes to the Melbourne *Argus* concerning the treatment which an Australian horse shipper may receive at the hands of the Indian Government:—

For the last three years the price paid for remounts has been £50 sterling for each horse purchased, and when I left India in January last I was informed that an alteration was to be made in the date of opening the depot this season, and that it would be opened for the reception of horses on the 1st October instead of the 16th of September as heretofore, but not the slightest intimation was given to me that a reduction in price was contemplated. I therefore commenced purchasing on my return to Australia, and giving high prices, on the understanding that I was to be paid at the rate of £50 per head as customary for each horse purchased by Government. On the 9th of March, 1888, I received a circular signed by the Officiating Secretary to the Government of India containing the following paragraphs. I do not quote the others, as they do not bear upon the subject:—

"3. The Calcutta Landing and remount Depot will be open for the reception of horses from October 1 to the end of purchasing season, and not from September 15."

"4. Horses and mares will be received, but they must be within the prescribed age 4 to 6 years, and 14-3 to 16 hands high. It is distinctly understood that three-years-olds and mares in foal will not be purchased."

"5. The average price of a waler remount has been fixed at £50 sterling, which will be paid in rupees at the Indian port of purchase at the current rate of exchange. Every horse presented for purchase will be valued separately, and higher or lower prices may be given, provided that the average of the purchases does not exceed the above limits."

To this circular was attached a foot-note signed by the "Remount Agent" as follows:—

"Particular attention is called to paragraphs 3,4, and 6 of this notification, and to inform you that the probable number of Australian horses likely to be purchased in Calcutta will be 1,027 for the year 1888-9." You will observe that my particular attention is called to paragraph 6, which states that the price is fixed at £50 sterling.

I therefore continued purchasing, on the understanding that about 1,027 horses would be required in Calcutta, and that the price would be, as usual, £50, completing my purchases last month, when I chartered a steamer to leave at a time suitable to the opening of the depot. On the 4th of July, nearly four months after the first circular was received, after all my purchases are completed and my steamer chartered, I received another circular—this time from the Officiating Director of Army Remount Operations for India—stating that the number of horses required in Calcutta would be 603 instead of 1,027, as previously advised.

Paragraph 6 now reads thus:—"The price for an Australian or Cape remount has been fixed at Rs. 650, which will be paid at the Indian port of discharge." At the present rate of exchange, which, however, is likely to be lower, this price equals £42 10s. No option is let to me but to go to India, as my horses are purchased and the steamer chartered, but if this alteration in price is maintained, I can only face a serious loss. On the strength of 1,027 horses being required I have purchased a great many more than will be necessary to supply 603, and in addition to this, the price is reduced without giving one word of notice, until the one received on the 4th instant. I hardly know what term to apply to such conduct as this, but to my simple mind it appears that, taking advantage of a glut in the market, occasioned by its own unfair action in advising shippers that there were but double the number of horses would be required than were actually wanted, they now quietly say we will not give you the price we have been giving for the last three years, and which we advised you by circular, dated 11th February, would be given this season, but you must accept a reduction of £7 10s. per head. Every shipper has received the same circular, and the consequence is that more than four times the number of horses required by Government will be landed in Calcutta this season, and I have no hesitation in saying that horses will be sold for less money in the Calcutta market than they can be purchased for at Kirk's Bazaar.

The action of the Government appears to me to be a gross breach of faith, if persevered in, and I would ask the assistance of your valuable paper to ventilate the subject, and to place the conduct of the Indian Government fully before the public, and in its true light.

DIVINE SERVICES.

FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY, SEPT. 9.

SAINT THOMAS' CATHEDRAL.

7-30 a.m.—Matins.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion—Choral.—Hymns 45, 310 and 172.
4-45 p.m.—Children's service on this Sunday.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon by the Rev. A. Goldwyer Lewis.—Hymns 254 and 232.
Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis.
Anthem.—"O Lord our Governour" No. 63.
Daily Matins at 6-45 a.m. and Evensong at 5-15 p.m. Thursday.—7-15 a.m.—Celebration.

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, MALABAR HILL.

7-30 a.m.—Matins.—Te Deum 92.—Hymn 6.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion and Sermon.—Hymn 313.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.—Magnificat 27, Nunc Dimittis 95.—Hymns 12, 160 and 215.
The offertories will be given to the Pensioners' Home
7 a.m.—Daily Matins.

MISSION CHURCH, GIRGAUM.

11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 93 and 403.
4-30 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer, and Sermon.—Hymns 314, 320, and 316.

Wednesday, Sept. 12.

6 p.m.—Weekly Meeting and Address.

INDO-BRITISH INSTITUTION (ESPLANADE), FOR HOLY TRINITY CHURCH.

7-45 a.m.—Celebration of the Holy Communion and Sermon.—Hymns 233, 332, and 178.
5 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 197, 215, and 196.
The offertories for Church expenses and poor relief.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, PAREL.

8 a.m.—Matins and Sermon.
6 p.m.—Evensong and Sermon.

ST. NICHOLAS' (SEAMEN'S) CHURCH, PRINCE'S DOCK.

8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
7 p.m.—Evening Service and Sermon.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, MAZAGON.

6-30 a.m.—Holy Communion.
7-30 a.m.—Choral and Sermon.
5-10 p.m.—Children's Service Choral and Sermon.
6 p.m.—Evensong, Choral and Sermon.
Daily.—6-30 and 7 a.m., and 8 p.m.
Alms for the poor.

CHRIST CHURCH, BYCULLA.

11 a.m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 270, 199 and 319.
6 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 266, 277, and 21.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, KAMATIPURA.

6 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon.—Hymns 248, 378, and 290.

WESLEYAN METHODIST CHURCH. Colaba, Causeway.

Saturday, September 8.

SPECIAL Revival Service conducted by Rev. J. H. Bateson, at 8 p.m. Cordial invitation to all.

Sunday September 9.

11 a.m. and 6 and 8 p.m.—Continuation of Special Revival Mission by Rev. J. H. Bateson. Services will be continued each evening during the week at 8 o'clock.

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11 a.m.—Mr. M. Rossurd.
4-30 p.m.—Sunday School.
6 p.m.—Rev. G. W. Clutterbuck.
7-30 p.m.—Native Service.—Cordial invitation to all

St. JOHN THE EVANGELIST, COLABA.

7 a.m.—Matins and Sermon—(Parade Service).—Hymns 34, 166 and 254.
8 a.m.—Holy Communion.
6 p.m.—Choral, Evensong and Sermon.—Hymns 22, 265, and 257.
8 a.m.—Daily Matins.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

Service will be held on board the s. s. Nagara, in the Prince's Dock on Sunday at 11 a.m.

CHURCH OF SCOTLAND.

9 a.m.—B. B. and C. I. Institute, Parel.
6 p.m.—St. Andrews Kirk, Fort.—Hymns 16, second tune.
Psalm 61, Chant I.
Anthem "God be merciful unto us."—Hymn 309.

FORT METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Services will be held in Y. M. C. A. Rooms, Apollo Bunder.
11 a.m. and 8 p.m.
Evening topic: The Church and the Bethany.

HIGH COURT.—SEPT. 6.

(Before the Hon. Mr. Justice SCOTT.)

A SUIT AGAINST TRUSTEES.

KURMALI RAHIMBHAI AND OTHERS *vs.* RAHIMBHOY HABIBBHOY AND OTHERS.

HIS LORDSHIP delivered the following judgment in the case:—

This is an application in suit No. 370 of 1870 in the form of a rule to set aside all proceedings in that suit subsequent to the month of August, 1876. One Rahimbhoy Dhuramsey had filed a suit for himself and his children against Ahmedbhoy and Rahimbhoy Habibbhoy, the executors of the will, dated 4th September, 1864, of their brother Khan Mahommed Habibbhoy, for payment of the arrears of a monthly allowance of Rs. 1,000, to the plaintiff's children, to whose mother, Lillbai, that allowance had been given by the will. In 1871, the suit was referred to the Commissioner for an account of the defendant's administration of the estate. In February 1876 the defendants filed eight accounts in accordance with the decretal order of the Court, and in June, 1874, objections and such charges were filed amounting to five lakhs. The father and original plaintiff died in November, 1875, and on the 4th April 1876 his mother Kajbai was appointed guardian *ad litem* to his infant children. The claims of the infants had been provisionally recognised by an order of Green, J., 23rd August, 1870, ordering the defendant's *pendente lite* to pay Rs. 600 a month to their guardian, and to invest Rs. 400 on their behalf monthly in Government securities. This interim provision was continued during the inquiry before the master. Thus the property of the infants was the subject matter of suit. Their guardian *ad litem* was the plaintiff, whilst the defendants were their trustees as the executors of the will by which they received the property. The Commissioner made his report on the 31st March, 1884, and the report was confirmed by this court in 1885. The two elder children attained their majority without raising any objection to the report; but Meer Ali Ramabhoy, the youngest of the three sons, on attaining his majority, in December, 1887, at once instituted the present proceedings, on the ground that the inquiry before the Commissioner was not conducted in the interest of the infants, but was practically compromised by the parties by the withdrawal of the objections and surcharges, and that the compromise was never sanctioned by the court. The rule was opposed on various grounds. It was first argued that the proper course of procedure had not been followed. Authorities were cited to show that there are only two courses by which an erroneous decree may be impeached to wit by a review or by an original bill. In the case of Morrison *vs.* Morrison, (4 My. and Cr. 215) Lord Cottenham at p. 228, says "as regards orders obtained under circumstances similar to the present, I do not enter into any consideration of the facts submitted to the court as the ground for these orders, but I must observe that the orders themselves, whatever those facts may have been, were in the highest degree irregular. If a decree be obtained under such circumstances as may justify the court in considering it as a nullity, it may, in some cases, be got rid of by a motion or petition; but if the decree be regular in itself no error it may contain can be set right in that manner, and even if it were obtained by fraud, it can only be set aside by a bill. Nevertheless, these orders, upon the ground of fraud or error, upon accounts settled by a report which had been confirmed five years before, set aside a decree made upon such report." Other authorities lay down the same rule. The infant may impeach a decree on the ground of fraud or collusion either by a bill of review. (Richmond *vs.* Taylor 1 P. U. 355) or supplemental bill in the nature of a bill of review, or by an original bill, which is the usual course. (Chambers on Jurisdiction over Infants, p. 737.) The case of Flower *vs.* Lloyd, 6 Ch Div. 297, is in point. There an application was made for rehearing, on the ground of a fraudulent concealment of facts, and the court held it had no jurisdiction and that the remedy was by original suit that set aside the decree as obtained by fraud. (See Jessell L. J. p., 290. When the application is made after the lapse of years it seems to me especially desirous that the matter should not be dealt with as an interlocutory application, and decided on affidavits. (See Macpherson on Infants, page 430.) This view is strongly supported by the observations of the master of the Rolls in G. Bos, at p. 503, where he is clearly of opinion that an original bill is the proper course unless the application is made immediately. (See also Simpson on Infants. Daniell Chancery Practice.) Mr. Jardine cited I.L.R. 10 Cal. 357, in support of the present form of procedure. In that case Garth, C.J. lays down three modes

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Ordinary Original Civil Jurisdiction.
Suit No. 311 of 1886.

Tribhovandass Mungulduss Nuthoobhai.....Plaintiff.
vs.
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SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE Asiatic steamer Nurjehan, 1,936 tons, Captain W Mason, will sail this morning for Calcutta and the coast ports with a general cargo and salt.

The s. s. Eden Hall, 2,353 tons, Captain J Hughes, arrived in Bombay yesterday from Liverpool (August 10), laden with coals, and Mr Booth, a passenger.

THE Italian steamer Stura 1,416 tons, Captain L Cabours, arrived in port on Thursday night from Hongkong (August, 12), with a general cargo and nine passengers on deck.

THE B I steamer Khandalla, Captain J R P Alexander, sailed yesterday for Calcutta, coast ports, and Colombo, with a general cargo and Mr J M McDermott, a passenger, for Colombo.

THE s. s. Bothwell Castle, 1,683 tons, Captain R J C Todd, from Melbourne (August 6) arrived in Bombay yesterday morning with 700 tons coals and 318 horses and the following passengers:—Mr and Mrs Baldock, Messrs Henchman, O Sullivan, C McKeek, in W Duggan and W Bradney. Thirteen out of the total consignment of 331 horses died during the voyage. The steamer is consigned to Messrs Ritchie, Stewart and Co.

VESSELS IN DOCKS.—SEPTEMBER 7.

PRINCE'S DOCK.

Vessels.	Net Tonnage	Captains.	Sheds.	Company or Agents.
S.S. Niagara.....	2044	J. McComochie..	D	Killick, Nixon & Co.
,, Sorrento....	1775	J. W. Ouston ...	F	F. Muir & Co.
,, Labourdonnais..	1274	P. Sibilet	O	A. Simeon.

VICTORIA DOCK.

			No.	
,, Stura	1416	Cabourn	2	F. Bozzoni.
,, Venetia	1609	F. Cole.....	5	P. & O. Co.
,, Po	1931	S. Anfossi	6	F. Bozzoni.
,, Mecca	936	Macfadyen.....	9	M. Mackenzie & Co.

ARRIVALS.

Sept.	Vessel.	Commander	From
6	Stura (s)	Cabourn	Hongkong, Aug. 12.
7	Bothwell Castle (s)	Todd	Melbourne, Aug. 6.
	Eden Hall (s)	Hughes ...	Liverpool, Aug. 10.

DEPARTURE.

Sept.	Vessel.	Commander	Destination.
7	Khandalla (s)	Alexander ..	Calcutta and Coast.

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday:—
Steamer Stura, for China.
,, Niagara, for Hull.
,, Coconada, for Macmagoa.
,, Amphitrite, for China.

DAILY EXPORTS.—SEPTEMBER 7.

FOR HULL.

Sorrento s—3,840 cwts wheat, Lyon and Co; 17,413 cwts wheat, Lang, Moir and Co.

FOR ANTWERP.

Kt Companion s—2,500 cwts poppyseed and 1,999 cwts linseed, Volkart Bros; 1,600 cwts rapeseed, A Blaschcek and Co; 27,594 cwts rapeseed and 2,000 cwts wheat, The Bombay Company Ld.

FOR TRIESTE.

[illegible] s—220 bales cotton, Glade and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Po s—1,000 bags rice, M Ruttonji,

FOR HONGKONG.

Venetia s—218 tons old iron, R Tyabji and Co; 24 bales twist, Tatta and Co.

FOR KARACHI.

Laburdonnais s—17 cases silver coins (Rs. 102,000) Ralli Bros.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—SEPTEMBER 6.

Pottinger, Lieut, R A, from leave, from Poona.
Wooldridge, Colonel, 23rd Bombay Infantry, on duty, from Poona.
Pedrosa, Surgeon Major, Madras, from sick leave, from Europe.

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Brownlow, Lt Colonel, 1st Sikh Infantry, from furlough, from England.
Walter, Lieut, Lancashire Fusiliers, on leave, from Poona.
Walter, Captain, Devonshire Regt, on leave, from Poona.

DEPARTURES.—SEPTEMBER 6.

Cates, Dy Surgn Genl, I M S, on duty, to Ahmedabad
Pottinger, Lieut, R A, from leave, to Hyderabad.

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Fagan, Lt Col, Bombay, 2nd Lancers, on leave, to Neemuch.
Pedrosa, Surgeon Major, Madras, to join, to Mandalay.
Chitty, Lieut, 7th Bombay Infantry, to join, to Mhow.

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By Lieut-Col. the Hon. L. H. Bayley, Commandant, B. V. R. Corps.

Bombay, September 8, 1888.

1 Officers Commanding Companies are requested to impress on all Recruits the necessity of attending the monsoon drills at the Town Hall, with a view to qualifying themselves before the drill season commences.

2. It is requested that Officers Commanding Companies will have all staff sergeants' swords and bugles returned to head-quarters at once.

3. The Colaba Range is reserved on the 15th instant for S. I. R. A. Competition at 3-30 p.m. by permission of the Officer Commanding 2nd Gloster.

BOMBAY LIGHT HORSE.

The following order is notified:—

4. There will be practice at the Colaba Range this afternoon. Ammunition can be purchased on the Range.

By Order,
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THE MAILS.

LONDON, SEPT. 6.

The Bombay mails of the 21st ult. arrived at Brindisi to-day.

STEAMER MOVEMENTS.

PORT SAID, SEPT. 6.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer India, outward bound for Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo, left here this morning.

SUEZ, SEPT. 6.

The Anchor line steamer Arabia, outward bound from Glasgow and Liverpool, left here for Bombay this afternoon.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Kaugra, outward bound for Bombay and Kurrachee, left here yesterday evening.

SINGAPORE, SEPT. 6.

The Italian steamer Biesgno, which left Bombay on the 26th August last, arrived here to-day.

COLOMBO, SEPT. 6.

The Austro-Hungarian Lloyd's S. N. Co.'s steamer Maria Teresa, from Hongkong, left here this evening for Bombay.

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The mail steamer Peshawur, from China, arrived here to-day.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

THURSDAY NIGHT, SEPT. 6.

10 p.m. ... ... 80°0

FRIDAY, SEPT. 7.

6 a.m. ... ... 79·1
10 a.m. ... ... 80·5
2 p.m. ... ... 82·4
4 p.m. ... ... 83·2

TELEGRAPHIC LINE REPORT.

(SEPTEMBER 7.)

STATE OF INTERNATIONAL COMMUNICATION.

GREAT BRITAIN.—*Via* Teheran perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, interrupted.
GOVERNMENT OF BOMBAY.—*Via* Teheran perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, interrupted.
AMERICA.—*Via* Brest, perfect. *Via* Valentia perfect. *Via* Direct Cable perfect.
AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.
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Both Eden and Bombay Cables interrupted.

THE jinrickshaw is rapidly supplanting the long used dandy in [illegible] Stations, and it is estimated that in [illegible] there are now in hundred in use.

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

FRIDAY EVENING, SEPT. 7.

AT 42 3-16d. per oz., quoted both by Reuter and through private channels, Silver was 1-16d. higher in London yesterday; Rupee Securities, however, were unchanged at Wednesday's rates. The Banks' buying rate on India, at 30 days' sight, was 1s 4d per rupee. Consols and Indian Sterling Loan were unaltered at 98⅜ and 104½, respectively. In Paris, Rentes had advanced ¼ per cent., say to 105 3/4, and Exchange on London was another centime higher, at Francs 25·41.

The Bank of England Returns for the week ending on Wednesday show that the Bank's Reserve had increased by one per cent., and stood yesterday at 45 per cent. of the Liabilities. The Bank rate of discount and that on 6 months' sight Indian Bank Paper were unchanged at 3 per cent., but the market rate on short London Bills was ⅛ higher at 2⅛ per cent.

The specie shipments to Bombay for the week are reported at the high figures of £130,000 in silver and £20,000 in gold.

No further news has come to hand regarding the Wheat or Seeds; but Coffee in Mincing Lane was firm, and 1d. per cwt. dearer for Mid-Plantation.

The Liverpool Cotton Market closed firm yesterday, the day's sales having again reached 15,000 bales, of which 2,000 were again Surats. A further advance of 1-16d. per lb. was established in ready Mid.-Uplands at 5 15-16d., and "Good" Broach was dearer to the same extent at 4 13-16d per lb; but all other spot quotations come unchanged. American Arrivals were 3-64d. higher for September-October, 1-32d. for October-November, and 1-64d. up in all more distant positions. Manchester had been firm.

Wednesday's price of 10½ cents still ruled in New York yesterday for spot Cotton; but December Futures were 11 points higher at 9·76 cents. The Receipts at the U. S. Ports were 6,000 bales against 14,500 bales on the corresponding day last year.

In ready Cotton there has again been very little doing here to-day, the purchases reported being confined to a few hundred bales each of Compta, at Rs. 170-74; and Dharwar, at Rs. 201-3 per candy. In contracts for the next crop much more has been passing, and quotations generally have been Rs. 1 per candy higher. European buyers have booked a line of "Fully Good" Bengals for January delivery, at Rs. 177 per candy; and between native dealers "Good" has been done at Rs. 168, "Fine" being quoted at Rs. 187½. We also hear of bargains amongst native operators in "Good" Broach for March, at Rs. 229; in "Good" Julgaum for same delivery, at Rs. 196; and in "Good" Bhownuggur, for May, at Rs. 198 per candy.

WHEAT.—Notwithstanding a firmer Exchange and still hardening Freights, there has been a return of demand in this market, and considerable transactions are reported at generally stiffer prices, an actual advance of half an anna having been established in Pessy of both qualities, at Rs. 5-3-6 and Rs. 5-2-6 per cwt., respectively, the tone at closing having been strong though without other quotable change in rates.

SEEDS, on the other hand, have attracted no more attention than they have done of late, and the market has been quiet, a moderate amount of business only having been done, while quotations are unchanged all round.

The Receipts of Produce into Bombay yesterday were as follows:—

Cotton	1,447	bales.
Wheat	65,236	cwts.
Linseed	3,783	,,
Rapeseed	8,611	,,
Poppyseed	1,169	,,
Groundnuts	897	,,

FREIGHTS continue firm, but with not much doing, holders of tonnage asking exorbitant rates, and hardly any room obtainable for September-October shipment. There have been takers of orders for November shipment to-day, at 22s. 6d. per ton, but no giver at the rate.

EXCHANGE.—We have again to report a further rise in this market to-day. Rates opened at last night's closing quotations, but on the receipt of orders to the banks from other branches to sell rates hardened rapidly, and a small amount of Private Paper was placed for the mail at 1s. 4⅜d. and forward at 1s. 4 13-32d., but later on better than 1s. 4 13-16d. and 1s. 4 7-16d. respectively, was not obtainable. Bank demand Paper and Telegraphic were quoted immediately after opening at 1s. 4 7-32d., and eventually a considerable business was done between banks at 1s. 4⅜d. both ready and forward, with a fair private demand also for the same for transfer as far as May, and 1s. 4 9-32d. was said to be obtainable for next year. The feeling was firm at closing at:—

	Ready.	Forward.
Bank Bills on demand	1s. 4⅜d.	1s. 4 9-32d. p. rup.
Do. Telegraphic	1s. 4⅜d.	1s. 4⅜d. ,,
Do. 3 months' sight.	1s. 4 5-16d.	1s. 4 11-32d. ,,
Credits do.	1s. 4 13-32d.	1s. 4 7-16d. ,,
Francs do.	173½	173¾. ,,

GOVERNMENT PAPER has been firm at 101 for Four per cents. for cash, and 100⅝ for the next settlement, a good deal having been booked upon he latter line. For the October account 100 11-16 to ¾ has been the quotation, but not much business has transpired. The quotation for the other denomination has been raised to 104¼ to 150.

SHARES have rather active to-day in the principal item of Mill Scrip, and we have to note the following changes in our last list. Oorrh Mill shares have advanced Rs. 52½; Hindustan, Rs. 30; Shoolapore, Rs. 15; Mahalakshmi and New Great Eastern, Rs. 10 each; and Lakmidas Khimji, Manockji Petit, Oriental and Queen, Rs. 5 each. On the other hand, there has been a decline of Rs. 5 each in Alliance, Jevraz Balloo, Khatao Mucconji, Morarji Gokuldas, and Ripon.

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1888.

THE Bombay Millowners' Association have published some interesting information in regard to the growth of the mill industry in this Presidency, the substance of which was given in our commercial article a few days since. The returns exhibit a remarkable and rapid development of producing power in Bombay itself, where on the 30th of June there were fifty-two mills at work, with eight in course of erection. This, however, does not fully represent the rapidity with which the industry is growing in Bombay. The number of mills projected and under construction at the present moment is not less than fifteen, and scarcely a month passes without some addition being made to the list. Two or three years hence more than half the cotton mills in India will be on the island of Bombay, and four-fifths of the total probably will be in the Bombay Presidency. This enumeration of the resources, actual and prospective, of the industry will revive the familiar and oft-discussed question whether or not we are going beyond the requirements of the market. Production is going forward in leaps and bounds, and people have long since recognized that Mr. Gladstone was misleading the public when he spoke of progress at that rate as being, under settled economic conditions, anything but an evil whose consequences must swiftly come home to the community. So long, however, as the producer has before him a market such as that of the Farther East, which has so far shown a remarkable capacity to absorb Bombay products as quickly as they are sent there, an increase in the mechanism of production even by leaps and bounds need bring no retribution with it. The market in that direction is by this time very nearly in our own hands, Lancashire yarns having been gradually driven from it. It can take all that the fifty-two mills working in Bombay to-day can send it; and stocks are to-day low and prices rising. The horizon is perhaps not so boundless as it seemed when Japan as well as China was included in the area within which the Bombay spinners counted upon having an unimpeded course. Japan has taken to building mills lately on a large scale, and with its clever and progressive population it will not depend upon India or England for its yarn any more than it can help. It may be necessary, therefore, to moderate our expectations in that direction. A letter received by a Bombay millowner from his agent in Kobe this week gives some interesting information on this subject. "The natives inform us," he says, "that when all the spinning mills now in course of promotion in this district are at work the production will amount to two hundred bales of yarn a day. This statement is probably an exaggeration, but it is obvious that the importation of foreign yarn must sooner or later be affected by the new industry." As Japan the year before last took a little over seventy lakhs of pounds of Bombay yarns—nearly all of it in numbers ranging from 16 to 24—the information is of some importance as intimating that we shall have at once a clever and an energetic rival in Japan, who may some day compete with us not only on his own ground but in China as well. A good deal, however, will depend upon the questions whether the Japanese producer, with all his energy and the favouring conditions of cheap and clever labour, will not be too heavily handicapped in the matter of the raw produce to be a formidable competitor with the Bombay millowner. Japanese competition is not a rock ahead on which there is any probability of the Bombay industry being wrecked. It may be as well to keep it in view, however, for the benefit of investors and promoters who think that the market open to the local spinning industry has no assignable limits.

That the industry is not being overdone, as we are so often told it is, seems to us as reasonable a proposition now as ever it did, the Japanese mills and the fifteen new Bombay mills notwithstanding. At the present moment the important question is not whether Bombay is putting up too many mills, but whether the new undertakings are being started upon a sound basis. There is, in truth, one difficulty which may before long tell more severely upon the industry than the competition of other countries or a slackening in the demand of China, and that is the labour difficulty. The number of children available for mill work has of late shown a tendency to diminish to an extent which has already become inconvenient, and an augmentation of the labour requirements of the island by twenty-five per cent. during the next three or four years may not be easily met. But this is quite apart from the larger question whether a remunerative market can be found for the produce of the seventy or eighty mills which will be working in Bombay before another lustrum has run its course. The steadily expanding demand, at prices profitable to all the good and well managed mills, which has characterized the trade of the past three years seems to give good warrant for the belief that unless specially disturbing conditions intervene the eighty mills which will be at work in Bombay five years hence will be making as fair profits as the existing fifty-two are making. It is possible that in the interval some of the older mills, which are lagging behind in the race, and have distributed in dividends money that should have been spent in renewals, will have disappeared. These cannot stand the day of adversity, and even under favourable conditions they will not live long in the land. The new mills will for the most part start on an equality in the matter of machinery. The latest born, if they choose to avail themselves of it, have always the advantage in that respect. The inequality between them will be not in machinery, but in the financial conditions under which the undertakings are started. There is no need to indicate specifically the various methods in which a mill company may be called into existence in Bombay, and in which provision is made for its financial requirements. But they are not all wise, and there are some which seem ingeniously adapted for saddling the enterprise with difficulty from the outset of its career. A company for instance which starts with a subscribed capital equal only to half the cost of erecting the mill and machinery, and has to borrow money at heavy interest in order to meet the bills of the machine-makers in England, has the road to failure pretty clearly marked out from the beginning. The case, as anyone acquainted with the history of the local industry knows, is not hypothetical, and history, if we are not misin

TELEGRAMS.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

RAILWAY COLLISION IN FRANCE.

BOMBAY OFFICERS INJURED.

PARIS, Sept. 6.

A serious accident took place yesterday on the Lyons and Mediterranean Railway at Dijon, whereby the express having become derailed was run into by the Italian mail. The smash that followed is described as having been terrific. Many passengers, including four English, were severely injured.

LONDON, Sept. 7.

Mr. H. J. Marriott, of the Bombay Staff Corps, is severely injured in the railway collision at Dijon, and his sister was with him who was killed. The number of casualties up to the present is stated to be forty injured.

THE CZAR AND CZARINA.

ST. PETERSBURG, Sept. 5.

The Czar and Czarina have started for the South with the intention of making a prolonged tour as far as the Caucasus.

THE DEFENCES OF ENGLAND.

LONDON, Sept 7.

At a banquet given at Sheffield last night, Lord Beresford made a speech in which he said the late naval manœuvres had proved that the present system of training the officers and men of our Navy was quite adequate to the modern ships with their engineering appliances, and had also proved that there exists for a large force of Volunteers in the defence of our coasts.

The Duke of Rutland, in responding to the toast of the Visitors, said England and Canada were united as could afford to treat President Cleveland's message respecting the Fisheries Treaty with perfect cordiality.

APPOINTMENT TO THE MADRAS COUNCIL.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

MADRAS, Sept. 7.

The Hon'ble Mr. H. E. Stokes has been appointed Provisional Member of Council.

POONA RACES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, Aug. 7.

The following are the number of horses declared to run in the cross-country races to-morrow (Saturday):—"The Pony Chase," four; "Yerrowda Cup," four; "The Scurry," five, and galloways "The Hunt Cup," six; and "The Deccan Cup," seven.

ADMINISTRATION IN 1887.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, Aug. 7.

The Government Resolution is published reviewing the administration of jails during the year 1887. As to prison labour it is stated that some of the reports of the Jail Department are diffident as to the success of working under the revised rules which say there are doubtless difficulties to be overcome in bringing the industries in jails into accordance with these rules. But if the difficulties are regulated so as to meet the wishes of the consuming department of Government the difficulties now felt will be removed. The subject is an important one and is recommended to the special attention of Local Governments. A substantial improvement took place in the number of convictions, without any falling off in the quality. The question of treatment of female prisoners is under consideration, but owing to the conservatism of society in India it is a most difficult one. Excellency in Council defers expressing his own opinion in the matter till information is received as to how the system of appointing Honorary Magistrates has actually worked. The defects in the management of individual jails have been pointed out by the Local Governments, and a manifest improvement is noticed in the Bombay, Bengal, and Madras jails.

LORD BERESFORD.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

ALLAHABAD, Sept. 7.

Lord Beresford, says the *Pioneer*, arrives [illegible] of the 15th instant.

THE COMMISSION.

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THE EXPEDITION.

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(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

SIMLA, Sept. 7

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THE GREAT METROPOLIS IN THE DULL SEASON.

(FROM OUR LADY CORRESPONDENT.)

LONDON, Aug. 17.

Dulness reigns over the land—over what is to us, at least, the land par excellence, the West End. The stragglers of the season have departed at last. Those who waited to be married on the quiet have had the knot tied, and are already hugging the chain matrimonial at some foreign watering place, and those who waited till the Parliamentary shop shutters were put up have packed their belongings and fled from the desolation of London out of season. Dulness, dust, and disorder have settled down upon us. Bills to let fill the windows of dismantled houses, the litter of packing has not yet been blown away from the front doors, disconsolate cats wander mournfully up and down, mewing for the traitorous mistress who has deserted them. London has become almost a city of the dead. The rush of country visitors, who, tempted by cheap excursions, come up to indulge in the mild dissipation of buying bargains, has not yet begun, though the beauty of the shop windows has passed away, and large placards announce the annual summer sales and the tremendous sacrifices the proprietors are prepared to make to those kind country people who will deign to patronise them. The accumulated rubbish of the season is temptingly hung up with the attractive notice that it has been reduced from five guineas to five and eleven pence three farthings, and apparently such a delightful spirit of philanthropy presides over the shop-keeping world that all we have to do is to ask and we shall receive. The streets are given over to the liberated victims of board school coercion, and wild with their newly-acquired freedom they indulge in defiant war whoops and unexpected sallies on the timid passers, turn the "wild cat" on railings, or make Catherine wheels of themselves on the 'bus routes, or resting on their laurels smoke cigarettes of a brand and manufacture quite special. From every corner rush troops of boys and girls with oyster shells who beseech us to remember what they call "the grottor," an institution we are not at all likely to forget, coming as it does upon us as an annual nightmare from which there is no escape but death or departure. The "grottor" business in itself does not seem a difficult one to conduct, as it is generally relegated to a dirty infant, who, while her assistants collect the funds, sits sadly in the midst of piled up oyster shells and broken crockery, like a small modern Marius amongst the ruins of Carthage. What is the beginning or the end of the "grottor" cult no one seems to know. When board schools close and society like the swallows fly away, the "grottors" season, with the lavender, comes in; and after a fitful life of three or four weeks is snuffed out like its own candle ends and tapers by the autumnal rain or blast.

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But though the West End is deserted by its usual denizens, there are other parts of the great city where life is just as busy on a hot August day as in the fresh spring time. Whitechapel and Mile End are holding festival; and successions of delightful dissipations taking place at the People's Palace that make the brightness of West End children's "grottor" candles grow pale in comparison. In the Queen's Hall last week the Duchess of Albany opened the Picture Exhibition, which is undoubtedly one of the best that has been held at the East End, though St. Jude's Easter Picture Shows have always been remarkable. The palace of delights which Walter Besant foreshadowed in his story of "All Sorts and Conditions of Men" is being realised. Hundreds of the working people of the East End, whose days have hitherto been spent in toil without one bright pleasant hour, have now opened to them a place where they may sit and rest and listen to soft music on the great organ; or stroll about and look at the finest pictures. If so inclined, they may read papers and books in the fine octagonal library, or they may lounge in the refreshment room where coffee, cocoa and buns may be had while the Band of the Scots Guards plays inspiriting music. Then for the children there are penny shows and merry-go-rounds, carriages to swing in, or splendid chargers to ride. It made me sorry that I was not a child again to see the happy creatures mounting their wooden horses and riding away as full of hope and courage as if the championship of the world was to be fought and won with toy swords and wooden chargers.

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The buildings of the Palace are in progress—the technical schools which adjoin the Queen's Hall being hurried on so as to be ready for the opening of the session in October. The programme of the classes for practical trades, science, art and design, music and women's classes for dress-making, cooking, millinery is already published, and the numbers of students is constantly on the increase, so that this great venture for the improvement of the masses and the amelioration of their social condition has passed from the ideal stage into the real.

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To any one who has known the East End of London for years, the change since its colonization by the universities and the various philanthropic and religious societies is very apparent. There has been much done for its good, but there is always much more to do. In one of Walter Besant's books, "All in a Garden Fair," I think, he tells us how a young poet went out to study the people in the streets. I can imagine no better school to learn such lessons than Mile End and Stepney, and the study will not be monotonous or dreary; there is fun to be found everywhere if one has only a true sense of the humorous. The stall-holders and hucksters of cheap wares are delightful and the modern medicine man arrayed in his correct black suit and tall hat is an amazing spectacle. He stands on his counter, or on the seat of his gig if he is an itinerant vendor, surrounded by a gaping wondering crowd, and discourses in the most learned language on the human interior, its weakness and its diseases, aiding his speech by demonstrations on the blackboard of his ideas of the human mechanism, which, I need not say, are truly elementary and mostly wrong. Sometimes he is the happy possessor of a skull and a cartoon of the human figure showing all the muscles uncovered, which he has probably purchased from some moribund art school. In this case his genuineness is so proved that his nostrums go down without much trouble and one after another steps forward and takes and pays for a draught which, if it does not kill, certainly has not the power to cure. Next stall to the medicine man is a dealer in crockery, who offers things for any price you like, and next him again is the dealer in meat, who entreats you almost with tears in eyes to come and buy. "Come buy the rosy meat, come buy, come pull away and buy, come ladies buy," this is the burden of his song which sounds strange to unaccustomed ears, especially as the verb buy is pronounced more like a life-buoy, or that peculiar term that Irish women use in talking of their sons "their little buoi," than the correct word.

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The predominance of Jewish names and Jewish faces is very remarkable. There are the Levis, Mordecais, Lazarus, and Eliases of Holy Land; there are the faces and features of the women of Jerusalem, and there is sound of the worst cockney English all around. The Anglo-Jew keeps the features of his race; but he loses a great deal of its grace. One old custom, however, is kept up by, at least, the young Hebrews of Mile End. They may forget the Sabbath Day, and lose their horror of swine's flesh; but they certainly retain their facility for rending their garments. I never saw in England such an utterly ragged crowd of children as those that stood in front of some wax work horror on what is called the "promenade." A good gust of wind could have swept every vestige of a garment off those children in five minutes.

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The promenade at Mile End brings me back to the concerts at Covent Garden, which have begun again. Wednesday was the first classical evening, and the grand orchestra gave some excellent selections from Wagner, Reinecke, Beethoven and Schubert, and also accompanied Madame Frickenhaus in a pianoforte concerto by Schumann. Madame Frickenhaus has great power, and though the piano was somewhat lost in so large a hall, and with so many other instruments, one could know that she was a good mistress of the instrument. Madame Alwina Valleria sung "Angels ever bright and fair" with great variety of expression. Some parts were charming. But at times Madame has a very painful fault, which our old German singing master used in his broken English call over-roaring. I wished he had been there to say to Madame Valleria "I do entreat of you, my dear lady, how over-roar yourself." Signor Foli gave us a song from Gounod's "La Reine de Saba"

> She alone charmeth my sadness;
> At her feet willing I lay my power and my sceptre down—
> I, a King! O what madness!
> 'Tis I who am the slave—He she who wears the crown!

It was splendidly sung, and his last note seemed so low in the scale that it could not have been produced from much higher than his patent boots. Miss Constance Haden's song of King Solomon's wooing is not quite so poetic, and it has not been set to oratorio music, but it is very fine all the same. Solomon Redivivus says to the Queen:—

> We were a soft Amœba
> In ages past and gone,
> Ere you were Queen of Sheba
> And I King Solomon.
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> Unconquered, undivided
> We lived in happy sloth,
> And all that you did I did,
> One dinner nourished both.
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> Till you incurred the odium
> Of fissure and divorce,
> A severed pseudopodium
> You strayed your lovely course.
>
> Till from that soft Amœba,
> In ages past and gone,
> You've grown the Queen of Sheba
> And I King Solomon.

The second part of the concert was miscellaneous the band of the Coldstream Guards taking part with the orchestra in a selection from Un Ballo in Maschera, and giving selections from Planquette, Gottschalk, Monsigny and Moir.

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But the selections were so interminably long that most people had got quite sufficient in the first part and the most luxurious places became tiresome when one had to sit for hours. It is true one had the option of descending to the promenade, of refreshing at the buffet which has been painted to represent a Swiss mountain village, and where plump make-believe Swiss maidens serve Lager beer so charmingly that some people fancy it is the nectar of the gods. And their hair is of that unnatural gold that suggests Judson's gold paint more than the natural sunlit tint. And their voices are not those of the maidens who come from the mountain side. They remind one strangely of the neighbourhood of Fleet, Street within sound of the bells of Bow. On the whole I did not approve of them. Neither did I fancy the audience. There were there certainly all sorts and conditions of men from the heathen Chinee to the Celt. There were Jews and Gentiles, artists and workmen. There were musicians whose hair stood up after the fashion of the bold boy Stalwart Peter in the nursery rhymes, and musicians whose hair floated in love locks over their coat collars. And there were women of every variety. The musical woman with *pince nez* and an intense expression that seems to be the outcome of trying to read pages of difficult music off at sight. There were some very correct looking women who, as I heard remarked, were protected from all harm by the angel of their own unattractiveness. But there were too many young women who had come without the protection of any angel guardian, who perhaps had started in life and gone through it so far without the dimmest idea that they required such an appendage. I felt sorry for them. It is a pity to have a pretty face and a smart clever tongue and be an utter failure. We left before the concert was a third over. I do not know if it finished before midnight. The performers seemed in no hurry to get done, and the musicians and merry-makers were interested and amused. When we got into the Strand there was a wild commotion, for in the midst of cabs, carriages and busses the fire-engine came wildly along, scattering the multitude of people to each side and keeping its course without a moment's delay. It was on its way to a fire in the East End, where no lives were lost but that of a poor horse, which could not be rescued.

A DISCLAIMER.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE "BOMBAY GAZETTE."

Sir,—Having seen an advertisement in the local column of your paper of to-day that there is a complaint by a correspondent with respect to the irregularity of time in the Tower Clock put up for the use of the public at the Victoria Terminus, I have to state that the same is not under my supervision.—Yours, &c.,

Sept. 6. CURSETJEE CAVASJEE,
G. I. P. Railway Watchmaker.

THE PROPOSED ZOO FOR BOMBAY.

We have much pleasure in publishing a further list of gentlemen who have agreed to subscribe Rs. 150 in the event of the garden being started on the desired site, on the understanding that they become life members of the Bombay Natural History Society with the privilege of free entrance for themselves and two friends at all times to the zoological garden:—

	Rs.
Previously acknowledged	51,150
R. D. T.	150
Mr. W. S. Owen	150
Mr. Ardasir Nusserwanjee Modi	150
Mr. N. J. Sassoon	150
Mr. Maneckji M. Bhownuggree	150
Mr. W. M. Humphrey	150
Mr. Ardasir Nusserwanjee Modi	150
Sar Lashkar Saheb Bahadhur of Kolapur (Sriman Hanmantrao Gopalrao)	150
Lieut. D. Madhowrao (Hyderabad)	150
Mr. R. A. Lamb, C. S.	150
Mr. W. P. Symonds, C. S.	150
B.W.	150
Mrs. Lisboa	150
Dr. W. W. Henderscon	150
Mr. W. S. Hexton	150
Mr. Nanay Peeroo Mahomed	150
L. A. F.	150
Mr. John H. Steel, A.V.D.	150
E. H. A.	150
Total...	53,850

It may be mentioned for the information of Rajas and other wealthy native gentlemen that a donation of Rs. 1,000 or upwards will constitute them "patrons" of the Society, and that cages, &c., to the value of the above sum will be called after the names of the donors.

AN UNFOUNDED ALLEGATION.

The following Government Resolution has been published:—

POLITICAL DEPARTMENT.

Bombay Castle, 6th September, 1888.

Translation of an article in the Bombay newspaper "*Rajyubhakta*, dated 10th May 1888:—"Something unusual will happen in India in case tyrannical conduct such as that of Sir Lepel Griffin in Bhopal, Rewah and Indore, of the Resident in Hyderabad as exposed by the Hyderabad mining scandals, and of the Political Agents in Kathiawar and other places is allowed to continue unchecked. Krores of rupees have been taken away from the Nizam's Hyderabad and from Baroda at the time of the arrest of Malhar Rao. We have personally seen a bag containing Rs. 20,000 placed in the railway carriage of the Political Agent, Kathiawar, by a Raja. As Government does not take notice of the arbitrary conduct of Political Agents and Residents, they do not hesitate in taking bribes of lakhs of rupees and in doing injustice to the people. The results of this injustice are plunders and fighting. The present continued plunders in Kathiawar are fresh instances in point. A Parliamentary Committee has been appointed to enquire into the Hyderabad mining scandals, and the Native States in the Central Provinces being about to petition for the appointment of a Royal Commission to enquire into the injustice done to them by the arbitrary conduct of the Political Agent, we say that it is necessary that a Royal Commission should be appointed to fix the powers of all the Native States and of the Political Agents. Until this is done the fire smouldering in India is not likely to be put out. The Home and the Indian Government ought to seriously think of the matter."

Letter from the Secretary to Government to the editor of the *Rajyabhakta*, No. 3961, dated 9th June 1888—Enquiring who was the Political Agent and who was the Raja referred to in the above article, and what was the date of the transaction, and requesting a full account of the circumstances.

Reply from Mr. Kalidas Sakalchand, editor of the *Rajyabhakta*, dated 14th June 1888.—Stating that the Political Agent was the late Political Agent, Colonel Barton, and that the Raja was the late Thakor of Sursingji of Palitana; and adding that the occurrence took place at the Grant Road Station on the occasion of Colonel Barton's return from England, and that two persons, whose names he (Editor) does not know, witnessed the occurrence.

Further letter from the Secretary to Government, to the editor of the *Rajyabhakta*, No. 4660, dated 10th July—Inviting a fuller account of the circumstances, and enquiring how the editor was aware of the amount contained in the bag, and what directed his attention to it, and further requesting that the names of the two witnesses may be given.

Further letter from Mr. Kalidas Sakalchand, editor of the *Rajyabhakta*, dated 15th August 1888—"With reference to your letter, dated the 10th July 1888, I have the honour to state that nothing was mentioned in my paper, dated the 10th May 1888, which would lead one to think that the money in question was paid as a bribe. I have nothing to say further in the matter. If the Government wish to make any enquiry they may do so on the facts stated by me in my former letter, dated 14th June 1888."

Resolution.—Government having instituted an enquiry into the specific allegations published by the *Rajyabhakta* on the 10th of May, find it impossible to take action upon charges so vague and stale, the truth of which is on the face of them so improbable. The editor's letter, dated the 15th ultimo, virtually amounts to a recantation of his specific accusation, and no further action need be taken in regard to it.

MAGIC ASTHMA CURE.—Messrs. COOPER, MADON & Co., Ltd.—I have recommended your specific as being a radical cure.—P. M. Outtrim, Yeotmal. "Magic Cure" for Asthma has perfectly cured me of the complaint.—E. D'Costa. Your "Magic Cure" has given final relief.—Mrs. Bruce. Rs. 1 and Rs. 1-13 per bottle. Sole Proprietors: COOPER, MADON & Co., Ltd.

CRICKET AT THE GYMKHANA.

Poona failed to put a strong team in the field for the return match yesterday, and in consequence suffered a crushing defeat by an innings and 47 runs. Bombay had a strong eleven, at least as strong as any that represented them this season, and their victory was well deserved. Talbot and Harvey were the only two of the visitors who seemed capable of upholding the reputation their Gymkhana has gained, and the utter collapse of their side was most unexpected. The bowling analysis of the Bombay men reads quite phenomenal; but their trundling in the second innings was not so successful, and enabled the visitors to make a more respectable display. There will be a scratch game to-day, instead of the return match, which has come to such an untimely end.

Poona won the toss, and went in at a quarter past eleven, Clowes and Twiss, being the first wickets, batting the bowling of Bruce and Clifton. After ten minutes' play, when 9 runs had been made, Twiss was bowled out by Bruce. (1 for 9.) Stockdale was next man; but was clean bowled with the first ball he received. Wilson now joined Clowes. The score was increased to 12, when Clowes was caught in the slips by Clifton, the ball bounding off the handle of his bat. (12-3-5.) Talbot filled the vacancy, but he lost his partner at once, as Wilson was caught by Bruce, into whose hand he played a loose ball from Clifton. Things looked fair for the Bombay eleven, as four wickets had now fallen for but twelve runs. Collings joined Talbot. Bad luck continued to dog Poona, as in the next over Talbot went out, having hit a ball from Bruce to leg, where he was well held by Read. (12-5-0.) Collings fell with the next ball, having been caught by Kennedy off a loose one from Bruce. The latter so far was responsible for five wickets for as many runs. Lascelles and Harvey were now together. The latter hit Clifton to leg and obtained the first two runs after seven maiden overs had been bowled in succession. Lascelles was disposed off by Clifton three overs later, when the score had reached 17. Walter now associated with Harvey, but he was out early, being caught by Vanderzee off Clifton; the eight wicket thus fell for 19 runs. Private Walker, the Poona groundman, was the next wicket. He was let off in the slips by Clifton, and in the next over Harvey was missed by Edyvean off a difficult chance. In the same turn Walker closed the innings by hitting his wicket. (9 for 21.) Harvey was not out with nine runs, the top score of the day and half the total, excluding three byes One man was absent, and the innings closed at a quarter past twelve, having lasted an hour. The wicket was responsible for this, as it played very difficult, and all in favour of the bowlers.

At 12-20 Bombay went in for their first innings, Wilkins and Sangster batting Clowes and Stockdale. After very careful play for the first half hour Wilkins hit Clowes for three, and shortly after Sangster drove the same bowler to the off for four. At 19, which it had taken the greater part of an hour to make, Talbot relieved Clowes. Four runs were made during the over, when Sangster was clean bowled for a well played 13. (23-1-13.) Edyvean joined Wilkins. Just as the latter seemed set he fell to Stockdale, by whom he was clean bowled, having scored ten during the three-quarters of an hour he was at the wickets. (25-2-10.) Kennedy was the next man, and with Edyvean put some life into the game. The latter cut Talbot very prettily into the tent for 3, and Kennedy then hit the next ball to leg for 4. In Stockdale's turn Edyvean secured another 3 for a hit into the tent. Forty was telegraphed, but four runs later Kennedy cut Talbot into the hands of Twiss at point. (44-3-9.) Jervoise followed in. Edyvean secured another four from a pretty cut off Stockdale, which travelled on to the road near the Victoria Hotel. Jervoise followed this up with a three off Talbot, which brought 50 on the telegraph board. Edyvean after this secured a four and a three off Talbot and then a like amount off Stockdale, fourteen runs in four successive balls. A four for a hit by Edyvean again off Stockdale on to the main road behind the tent brought 70 up. At this stage of the game Lascelles relieved Stockdale. The last ball of the new man disposed of Jervoise, who returned it easily. (77-3-7.) Bailey now joined Edyvean, but the latter played a difficult ball from Lascelles into the wicket-keeper's hands and retired with 35 runs to his credit, having earned them with some good and judicious playing. His total included four 4's, four 3's, and two 2's. (80-5-35.) Young filled the vacancy. At a quarter to two there was an adjournment for tiffin with the score at 80 for 5 wickets. When play was resumed Bailey quickly brought 90 up. He had a short and merry innings however, as at 98 he was bowled by Talbot with a hard hit, 14 to his credit. (98-6-14.) Vanderzee joined Young, and during their partnership the century was signalled. Young was clean bowled by Lascelles, when the score had been increased by a couple of runs. Bruce was next man. Runs came into pretty freely, 110 being reached in a few minutes. Talbot then went off for Stockdale. Bruce cut the change into the slips for 3 and then shortly after drove Lascelles to the on for a like sum. In Lascelles' three overs eighteen runs were secured. Bruce played very freely, and hit the bowling all over the field, bringing 130 up in a short time. Clowes now came on again instead of Lascelles, but the batsman punished him as severely as the others. The runs continued to come in merrily, Bruce being the chief contributor; he was seemed content with nothing less than a three or a four for each stroke. At a quarter to four 150 was signalled. A magnificent hit to deep leg by Bruce off Stockdale procured him 6, all run out, amidst great applause and merriment, as Bruce was too fatigued to run, and required all the encouragement he could get from the tent to continue. This brought 160 up, and Talbot instead of Clowes. Vanderee succumbed to Talbot's first ball, and retired with 11 runs for his score. (162-8-11.) Twiss went on instead of Stockdale and Bruce drove him high into the deep field, where he was well caught by Wilson. He retired with a well-played and hard-hit 47 to his score, which included one 6, two 4's, seven 3's and four 2's and four singles. Clifton followed in; but he was clean bowled, and the innings closed for 162 runs at 4 o'clock.

With 142 runs to make Poona went in for their second venture at 4-15, Clowes and Twiss batting Clifton and Kennedy. Clowes scored a single off the last ball of Clifton's first over; but in Kennedy's second turn he was clean bowled. (1-1-1.) Stockdale followed in. When he had made five, a single and a four for a boundary hit to leg, he was caught at the wickets by Bailey off Clifton. (6-2-5.) Wilson succeeded to the wicket with the score at 171. Twiss was clean bowled by Kennedy. (17-3-4.) Talbot now joined Wilson, and at once opened his account with a nicely hit four to leg off Clifton, and brought 20 up on the board. Wilson was run out in attempting a third for a hit by his partner off Kennedy, Vanderzee smartly throwing the stumps down. (31-4-8.) Harvey filled the vacancy, and put a brighter complexion on the game. Ably assisting Talbot he brought the score quickly up to 40. Bruce now relieved Kennedy, but he failed to produce any effect. His first over was punished to the extent of 9 runs. Clifton went off for Edyvean, who was as severely dealt with. In Bruce's over Talbot hit him for a pretty four clean out of the boundary, and then followed this up with another clean drive beyond the tent for six. Sangster was now changed for Macbeth and Vanderzee relieved Edyvean. The new bowler was twice hit for three in his first over, and 70 was signalled. Shortly after this Talbot was run out in attempting a fourth run for a bye, the ball being smartly thrown at the wickets by Kennedy. The retiring player had scored 39 with some very good cricket. His total imluded one 6, four 4's, and three 3's, and a couple of 2's. (75-5-39.) Lascelles followed in, but was caught at the wickets by Bailey off Vanderzee. Seven runs later Harvey was caught behind the wickets by Sangster fielding in the steps. Walter and the groundman were now together with the score at 93. Walter added two more runs, when Walker was bowled by Kennedy, the innings closing just at the call of time for 94 runs, the Poona Gymkhana thus being beaten by an innings and 47 runs. Cunningham was absent. The score is as follows:—

POONA.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
H Clowes, c Clifton, b Bruce	6	b Kennedy	1
J Twiss, b Bruce	1	b Kennedy	4
H Stockdale, b Bruce	0	c Bailey, b Clifton	3
F A Wilson, c Bruce, b Clifton	2	run out	8
H L Talbot, c Read, b Bruce	0	run out	39
G B Collings, c Kennedy, b Bruce	0	c Kennedy	12
A C Lascelles, b Clifton	0	c Bailey, b Vanderzee	0
Capt Harvey, not out	9	c Sangster, b Vanderzee	17
W Walter, c Vanderzee, b Clifton	0	not out	8
Pte Walker, hit wicket, Clifton	0	hit wicket, b Kennedy	0
P Cunningham, absent		absent	0
Extras	3	Extras	2
	21		94

BOMBAY.

First Innings.	
A D Wilkins, b Stockdale	10
A Sangster, b Talbot	13
J Edyvean, c Harvey, b Lascelles	35
H Kennedy, c Twiss, b Talbot	1
Captain Jervoise, c and b Lascelles	14
W A Bailey, b Talbot	5
W Young, b Lascelles	11
H Vanderzee, b Talbot	11
J Bruce, c Wilson, b Twiss	47
R H Read, not out	0
C N Clifton, b Talbot	0
Extras	11
Total	165

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

	Overs.	Balls.	First Innings. Runs.	Maidens.	Wickets.
J Bruce	33	3	77	7	5
C N Clifton	43	1	70	11	3
			Second Innings.		
H Clowes	56		34	3	0
H Stockdale	66		46	10	1
H Talbot	68		39	6	6
A Lascelles	38		28	1	3
J Twiss	4		1	1	0
F A Wilson	1		1	0	0
J Bruce	14		14	1	0
C N Clifton	15		11	1	0
A Lascelles	18		8	1	0
H Vanderzee	20		12	3	0

THE HANMANTRAO CASE.

(FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.)

POONA, Sept. 7.

When the proceedings were resumed this morning Mahadeo Kishu Kantikar, B.A., was recalled for cross-examination by Mr. Branson. Kantikar, who is the Secretary of the Poona Municipality, as was formerly stated, was the man who introduced Sindekar to Hanmantrao. He was glad to say he had not been suspended from his office since the revelations leading up to this case had been made. He had been told that no harm would befal him in the event of his making a statement, and he had accordingly told all he knew. He had not made conflicting statements; the first story he told was consistent with all he had said subsequently, and he was perfectly unaware when he assisted in the Sindekar negotiations that a secret inquiry was in progress. Mr. Pense had not told him so, and he was not in the habit of meeting with Mr. Pense. He denied that there had ever been any attempt to make him and Yadharao Sathe co-accused with Hanmantrao, and he did not tell him that he could only avoid that danger by making a statement. "Did you ever tell Hanmantrao what you had said in this statement?" asked Mr. Branson. "No; when Hanmantrao asked me what I had said I replied: You know best what I said." Such was witness's reply, and do what Mr. Branson would he could not induce witness to gainsay or moderate it. He told him neither more nor less. When Sindekar's brother went to see him he did not ask what was his business. He had heard from say he was going to see Hanmantrao and that to his mind conveyed sufficient information; the nature of his business was apparent. "You went with Sindekar to Hanmantrao's house?" "Yes." "For what purpose?" "To show him the house." "Then what necessity was there for you to go inside the house?" "Sindekar had not the acquaintance of Hanmantrao." Mr. Branson then read over the record of the examination-in-chief of witness and asked him in a word whether or not this was a correct record, not in the least endeavouring to make witness contradict himself by any intricate questions, a proceeding which Mr. Branson doubtless had his own reason for, but which struck the audience as somewhat strange. He then proceeded to interrogate witness as to what occurred subsequent to the visit. Witness said he had seen the petition Sindekar wrote, but had not been consulted as to its contents. Before the money was carried to the accused witness had seen it lying in bags on the carpet in Sathe's house, but he did not know the exact amount they contained. "I suppose you know," remarked Mr. Branson, "that giving bribes is an offence?" "Yes," was the reply. "Then why did you enter into it?" "I only introduced Sindekar to Hanmantrao." "But you agreed to receive money for payment to Hanmantrao for a corrupt purpose?" Mr. Branson continued. "That depends upon how you look at it," witness replied." "Oh, wait a bit," said Mr. Branson. But witness was determined to give his explanation, and hastened to add something when Mr. Branson asked: "Why did you do it?" "Because, he was my friend," was the reply. "And you don't mind committing an offence to oblige a friend." "Well," replied witness, now getting an opportunity to put in the explanation which had previously been prevented; "as I was saying it depends how you put the case. Sindekar was transferred for the purpose of getting money out of him: he paid something to get the transfer cancelled." "That is how you put it?" remarked Mr. Branson. "Yes." Then witness was re-examined, and in reply to Mr. Jardine, made a statement the purport of which was equivalent to a new charge against accused. Asked as to what led him to conclude when Sindekar's brother said he desired to see Hanmantrao that he wanted to see him for a corrupt purpose witness replied: "Because I had already had transactions with Hanmantrao." This statement naturally led to the question "What about?" to which witness replied: "About my own position." "Your own position?" "Yes; I wanted to obtain my rights." "And to do so you paid him money?" "Yes, I paid him some money." The confession aroused the flagging interest in the case and the murmers of the audience died away while every ear was strained to hear what further would transpire. However, all that witness added was that he had objected to go to Hanmantrao's house with Sindekar, saying he had had enough of Hanmantrao until Joshi said "Hanmantrao is anxious to see you so you must not say no." It was the recollection of his former communications with Hanmantrao which led him to make the inference he did when Sindekar's brother said he wanted to see the accused; the more so, as he had seen Sindekar's transfer gazetted. Agashi was next cross-examined, but his depositions contained nothing but a repetition of his original statements as to having conversed with Sindekar who told him of the negotiations and their progress. Yadharao Sathe who appeared able to speak good English stated that he would prefer to be re-examined in Marathi. He admitted that he was under suspension but that he did not know the reason. In the order for his suspension no reason was stated. He was suspended on the same day as Mr. Crawford was suspended. He admitted that he was sometimes called to Mr. Ommaney's office to give information. He made his first statement on the day after Mr. Crawford was brought back from Bombay. He did not make his statement in the hope of regaining the favour of Government. "Then what induced you to make a statement?" asked Mr. Branson. "I was sent for by Mr. Ommaney?" "Did he tell you, you need fear nothing?" "No." "Then you made it from a sense of duty, I suppose?" "Yes." He had visited accused while in gaol, accused sent for him; he got no special permission from anyone. He denied that he had advised him to make a statement against Mr. Crawford or that Hanmantrao had ever lent him money. These questions were directed with the object of proving the statements which accused had made in answer to the magistrate on the 20th ultimo. Witness admitted that Mr. Crawford had consulted him concerning Babaji Gangadhar Sathe, and that Mr. Crawford suspected Babaji. He could not account for this suspicion except that Babaji had been to see Mr. Nugent. Mr. Crawford had asked witness to tell him anything he might hear regarding Babaji's visit and what had transpired between them, witness said there were a number of *wattan* cases disposed of by Mr. Crawford about the end of June. He was not told to take the *wattan* cases his house nor did he point out cases in which he considered Babaji personally interested at this time. But when at Mr. Crawford's bungalow he and Hanmantrao on one or two occasions had some conversation with reference to such cases. He denied having given information as to Babaji taking bribes; he never said Babaji had but Hanmantrao did. Some of the *wattan* cases were approved and some of them disapproved; but he could not say what was the effect. He had never heard of Babaji threatening Hanmantrao except that when there was a disagreement between Babaji and Hanmantrao about a month, before his suspension Babaji said "If I get an opportunity I will get Hanmantrao put in jail." He did not know that Babaji Sathe was one of the persons who first gave information to Government, but he had read so in the papers. He had applied to be reinstated. He had laid all the facts before Government and asked that justice should be done. Re-examined witness said that Hanmantrao ought to have had nothing to do with the *wattan* cases, but he was in the habit of making suggestions which Mr. Crawford acted upon. Desmookh was then recalled and repeated having seen Hanmantrao with a copy of the Civil List with MS. annotations by Mr. Crawford and that he had seen accused prepare drafts of promotions and appointments of mamlatdars and others. He mentioned names in some of the cases and persisted in his statement made when originally examined.

The proceedings of this, the eleventh day, are fully reported below:—

Mr. Mahadeo Keshow Kantikar, B. A., Secretary, Poona Municipality, was the first witness who was cross-examined to-day. He said: I am a mamlatdar, but my services have been lent by Government to the Municipality. I am glad I am not suspended. I was told by Mr. Ommaney that nothing would happen to me if I made a statement. I made my statement about a day or two after the Commissioner was suspended. Before I went to Mr. Ommaney, I had not seen Mr. Pense or Mr. Bhimhoy. Sindekar did not tell me that he had made a statement. I was examined only once.

Did you or did you not in the first instance deny all knowledge of the case?

I did not. I did not at first make a different statement to what I made subsequently. Nobody was present, to my knowledge, when I was examined by Mr. Ommaney. I did not know in June that inquiries were actually going on about Mr. Crawford, nor had I heard any rumours regarding them. I was not in the habit of meeting Mr. Pense. But I had met him at Mrs. Sheppard's party, on the 10th July. I visited Hanmantrao when he was in jail.

Were you not sent there by Mr. Ommaney?

No, I was not sent there by Mr. Ommaney; but was sent for by Hanmantrao. Pitambar Joshi came to me for the purpose.

Didn't you ask the accused to make a statement against Mr. Crawford?

No, I did not. I think I saw the accused in jail a day or two before he was released on bail. I went to him at night.

Didn't you tell him that Balaji Gangadhar Sathe had tried to ruin you and Yadoorao Sathe consulted with Hanmantrao?

No; and I did not tell him that I was only able to avoid the danger by making a statement. I [illegible] "but you know that what I have said." I did not tell him that I would meet Yadoorao to see him the next day. I saw Yadoorao between the date of the examination and the [illegible] and the day I was to [illegible] Yadoorao and Hanmantrao [illegible] talked about the case. [illegible] Yadoorao or [illegible]

Did you not tell Hanmantrao that you would be examined in Marathi?

[illegible] Yadoorao [illegible] Hanmantrao [illegible] Yadoorao [illegible] Hanmantrao [illegible] Yadoorao [illegible] Hanmantrao [illegible] Yadoorao [illegible] Hanmantrao [illegible] Yadoorao [illegible]

SPORTING NOTES.

(From the Asian, September 4.)

The programmes of the Poona open meeting are looking lively daily; all the racing stables that have entered have NOW arrived, Bowen's and Dignam's stables being the last to put in an appearance. All the horses are now doing strong work. The weather has cleared up and the break will probably continue over the race meeting. There is a prospect of twenty horses starting for the Derby, which will be perhaps the largest field ever started in India. Visitors for the race meeting are flocking in. There are already some well-known Calcutta faces to be met on the course during work hours, and it is expected that some other leading members of the Calcutta Turf Club will be present for the race meeting.

The Bancoora, which arrived in Calcutta last week, took nearly 500 horses, the property of Mr. Madden, to Madras, where they were landed in the shortest time on record. She only brought six horses to Calcutta, and amongst these was Mr. Wookes' Knightsbridge which was landed in good condition. Mr. Wookes himself is not expected to arrive till about the end of November.

The New Zealanders appear determined to make an effort to establish a market for their horses in Calcutta, and the New Zealand Stud Company will shortly send a consignment of good quality, which will come up under the charge of a Mr. Daly, who was at one time an officer in the British Army.

Our London correspondent mentions that the fate which attends steeple plungers has at last befallen the "Jubilee Juggins," whose real name is Mr. Benson. The Liverpool *Mercantile Gazette* says in its sporting gossip:—Mr. Ernest Benson, of 172, New Bond-street, has effected a bill of sale on July 26 last to Alexander Grant Cochrane, bill discounter, of 4, Waterloo-place, London, for £10,000, upon seventeen race horses. It appears that the "Jubilee Juggins" was indebted to Mr. Cochrane in £7,575 odd, and in consideration of the advance of £2,425 agreed to secure the principal sum of £10,000 and interest at 60 per cent. We presume this bit of "ready" was a chance as once, and it also went where the Indian brass had previously vanished. Fourteen hundred pounds on the wrong side was his settling—or rather lack of settling—last Monday week. After the bookmakers had only bet "ready" with the stranger, and "knock" as he might, the "nodding" bird was not opened. It is reckoned that since Mr. Benson came in for his coin it has "vanished" at the average rate of a thousand a day. Of course it's the pace that kills."

A great deal has been said and written lately about the performance of the well-known driver J. Selwyn in taking his coach from the White Horse Cellar in Piccadilly to the ship at Brighton and back within eight hours, but a writer in the *Licensed Victuallers' Gazette* shows that a much greater feat was performed in New South Wales so long ago as 1844:—On the 21st of December, 1844, Mr. Lewis Alexander undertook for a bet of £20 a-side, to drive "The Age" coach from the Royal Hotel in Sydney, N. S. W., to the White Horse Cellar Hotel at Parramatta—a distance, as the road then was, of sixteen miles—in sixty-five minutes, he (Alexander) not being allowed any other horses for the performance of the match than those which ordinarily worked the coach. Road, as we understand it, there was not. What did duty for the same was simply a worn track across country. In dry weather it was all hard ruts; in wet it was a slough. When the weather was half-and-half then the "road" was "a caution." Although the amount for which the match was made was not large, there were very heavy sums depending upon the issue in wagers. Time was the favourite with the majority of local sportsmen, the odds varying from 6 to 4 to 2 to 1 on the "scythe-bearer." Alexander started from the door of the Royal at 10 a.m., sharp, having for passengers the two umpires, the stakeholder and the referee inside, and three others outside. The distance from Sydney to the Governor Gipp's Arms, where he changed horses, and which, on that old "track," was eight and a-half miles, was done in twenty-nine and a-half minutes, allowing a slight delay in consequence of one of the leaders' traces getting unhooked in going down Taverner's-hill. The operation of changing horses occupied four and a-half minutes, when Alexander again got away and made the pace so good that opposite Mr. Blaxland's gate at Newington the off-side leader got blown, and was obliged to be taken off, which entailed a further delay. Nothing daunted, however, by this unlucky mishap, the plucky Alexander proceeded with a unicorn team. When through the toll-bar going into Parramatta, another unlooked-for obstacle presented itself; a late honourable Member of the Legislature was occupied in ploughing his fields on each side of the road with a team of bullocks, and in order to save trouble, had ploughed *straight across the road* from one field to the other. This, of course, compelled Alexander to walk his horses through the soft ground. Setting his team going again, however, immediately he was clear of this last impediment, he rattled up to the door of the White Horse Cellars in exactly fifty-nine and a half minutes from the time of starting, thereby winning the match and all wagers. Great numbers of persons mustered on the Parramatta road to see the commencement of the match, but very few went the whole way through, it being too rough. An objection was at first raised to the payment of the stakes, on the ground of only three horses having been driven into Parramatta, but as the articles only specified that the coach was to be driven there within the time mentioned, the objection fell flat. A few, too, to the settling-post, which was the distance, the ground being measured by a local surveyor, Mr. [illegible] soon miles and one [illegible] mentions the following in 1846:—In October, [illegible]geles, California, was [illegible]merican sailors and [illegible] Lieutenant Gillespie. [illegible] rose in revolt, and [illegible] of the place. His only chance [illegible] of himself and his command was to communicate with Commodore Stockton, then at San Francisco, with all possible despatch, for the latter to bring the squadron abreast of the town. One of the marines was a Yorkshireman, who was the scapegrace son of a gentleman farmer in the North Riding, and had, in former days, often ridden to hounds. He volunteered to act as courier. Gillespie wrote, "Believe what the bearer tells you" on the paper of a cigarette, rolled it up and concealed it in a bundle of these paper cigars. The messenger was mounted on a Mexican mustang, and intructed to *steal* a change when he wanted one. He accomplished the distance—six hundred and thirty miles—in four days and seven hours, resting but a few hours on the way. He used eighteen horses, and successfully managed to communicate with the American Commodore, who set sail with the squadron and arrived in the nick of time to prevent Gillespie and his men from being cut off by the enemy.

The superiority of the English racer to the Arabian is now admitted by all except a few weak-minded enthusiasts like Mr. Wilfrid Blunt. Time after time has it been proved, both in England and in India, that the finest Arabian has no chance of beating even a fourth-rate English-bred horse, no matter at what difference in the weights. This was strikingly shown in the case of the most remarkable Arabian that ever ran against an English horse in India—when Easterhazy was matched against Recruit, the former belonging to the late Mr. Majoribanks, and the latter to the late gallant Major-General Gilbert, who so highly distinguished himself in the victorious campaign against the Sikhs. Mr. Majoribanks had originally caused to be imported from Epsom The Laurel mare at great expense, who was to have been, conditionally as to weight carried, matched against Recruit; but the vessel that conveyed her from the shores of Britain to India was wrecked off Saugor Island, and Mr. Majoribanks' hope were blighted by a misadventure. Nevertheless he determined to show against the Newmarket horse, and purchased, at an enormous price, from Ibrahim Pasha, the highest blood that could be procured from Arabia in Easterhazy. The horse was landed at Bassorah, and arrived safely in Calcutta. The match came off on the Calcutta race-course, eight pounds being given to the native of the East. The weights were 11st. and 10st, 6lbs., distance one mile and three-quarters round, the course being oval. A jockey named Frank Frost rode Recruit, whilst Easterhazy was steered by an amateur. Recruit won by a length. Upon a second occasion Easterhazy challenged his opponent under an understanding that the latter should give him a stone. This was agreed upon, the race was run over the same ground and Recruit came in a winner by half a length.

In a mediæval work, entitled "The Boke of St. Albans," one of the first ever printed in this country, occurs the following estimate of what our ancestors considered the perfection of a good horse. We modernize the spelling to render the passage more intelligible:—A good horse should have fifteen properties and conditions. That is to wit—three of a man, three of a woman, three of a fox, three of a hare, and three of an ass—

Of a man—bold, prond and hardy.

Of a woman—fair-breasted, fair of hair, and easy to lip upon.

Of a fox—a fair tail, short ears, and a good trot.

Of a hare—a great eye, a dry head, and well running.

Of an ass—a big chin, a flat leg, and a good hough."

One of those astonishing and daring acts of horsemanship which tax the power of human endurance to the utmost took place May 2, 1858, over the Pioneer Racecourse, San Francisco, when John Powers rode one hundred and fifty miles *right off in six hours, forty-three minutes, and thirty-one seconds.* Powers had backed himself, for a bet of 5,000 dollars, to do the distance inside eight hours, the backer of time being Mr. J. M. Daniels, the proprietor of the course. He (Powers) was to ride on Californian mustangs, and to use as many of them as he desired. By the terms of the articles Powers could make as many changes and stoppages as he desired, so that he performed the match in the time allotted him. There was an immense concourse of spectators present throughout the entire day, over eight thousand persons paid at the gate, the admission being one dollar a head, which may afford some idea as to the great interest the community took in the match. The first mile of the one hundred and fifty was commenced at precisely nine o'clock a.m., and Powers finished the match, riding one mile over nineteen three and four o'clock p.m. His last mile was done in 2min. 18secs., and his last ten miles took 27 minutes and a-half. The one hundred and fifty-fourth—2min. 15secs. His ninety-fourth—2min. 24secs. He changed mustangs during the match. All the mustangs were wild mustang breed, and had never been handled by the lasso as wanderers, without a saddle, and had never seen the inside of a stable.

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BENGAL.

A DANGEROUS MISTAKE.—On Sunday last, the police received information that Mrs. Rust, the wife of Mr. W. Rust, travelling agent in the employ of the Great Eastern Hotel, had swallowed some poison by mistake. It had been arranged that Mrs. Rust was to meet her husband at the Howrah station. Early that morning Mrs. Rust, previous to leaving for Howrah, thought she would take some steel drops, which she was in the habit of taking. In the dark she took a phial of iodine, and drank a portion before she discovered the mistake. Dr. Wallace was immediately sent for and prescribed restoratives, and subsequently Dr. Coates was called in. Mrs. Rust is still under medical treatment.—*Indian Daily News.*

MALICIOUS PROSECUTION.—A plaint has been filed in the Calcutta High Court, on behalf of one Chooneo Lall against Ram Chunder Singh, charging the defendant with malicious prosecution, and claiming damages to the amount of Rs. 20,000. The case arose out of a recent Police Court prosecution, wherein the defendant charged the plaintiff, a merchant carrying on considerable business in Calcutta, with the theft of some empty boxes, valued at Rs. 70, or thereabouts. The case was dismissed. Upon this, Chooneo Lall instituted the present proceedings.

BURMA.

MR. DAVE CARSON IN COURT.—A Rangoon paper reports some proceedings against Mr. Dave Carson for the non-payment of two Gharri fares, Rs. 3-10 and Rs. 15-10 respectively. Mr. Carson denied all knowledge of having used either of the gharries, and said he had paid large sums of money to gharry-wallahs ever since he had arrived in Burma. There was a clique of gharry-wallahs who had combined to extort money from him because he was a stranger, and frequently used their conveyances in the course of his business, and they not only had used this means for the purposes of extortion, but to seriously annoy him. He had paid the 1st complainant, if he remembered correctly, Rs. 2 for seven hours' work. Complainant on oath stated that Mr. Carson had used his gharry for nine hours, and when he asked for payment, Mr. Carson threw a glass of liquor at him. When asked by the Court if this were true, Mr. Carson replied, "certainly not, I know a better way of getting rid of liquor" (laughter). Mr. Carson then called "Spider," a boy at Eversbud's Hotel, but the Court decided the Court crier could not call a boy of that name; he must be hailed by his Tamil designation. "Spider" was, however, found at last, but he failed to recognise the 1st complainant as the gharry-wallah whom Mr. Carson paid. In this case, Mr. Carson was ordered to pay Rs. 3-10 and 1-8 costs, or Rs. 5-2 altogether. Mr. Carson drew attention to the fact that on the summons he received the amount claimed by the gharrywalla was only Rs. 3-8. His Worship said that must be a clerical error in the clerk's office. Mr. Carson replied the clerks shouldn't make errors—he had made none. In the 2nd case, the gharry-walla claimed for 3½ hours. Mr. Carson said these men had a wonderful way of making "time fares." As an example, one gharry-wallah had brought him to the Honorable Court that morning *via* the Assembly Rooms, which might be the shortest way—if he were wrong some one might correct him. The gharry-wallah said he had brought Mr. Carson a handkerchief and a fan which he had left in his gharry, and asked him for payment, when Mr. Carson told him to call on Monday. His Worship found for the 2nd complainant, with Rs. 15-10 original fare claimed and Rs 1-3 costs, making Rs. 17-2. Mr. Carson said that was *another* mistake of the Honorable Court, concerning which he should have to refer the proceedings to his friend, Sir Charles Paul, the Advocate-General.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS.

Sept. 10.—Cricket: North *vs.* South, at Poona.
Fourth Criminal Sessions.
Poona Polo Tournament.
„ 11.—Cricket: North *vs.* South, at Poona.
Fourth Criminal Sessions.
„ 12.—Cricket: North *vs.* South, at Poona.
Town Council Meeting.
Fourth Criminal Sessions.
„ 13.—Municipal Corporation.
Fourth Criminal Sessions.
„ 15.—Legislative Council, Poona.
„ 17.—Taboot Day.
Parsee New Year's Day.
„ 18.—Fine Arts Exhibition, Poona.
„ 19.—Town Council Meeting.
„ 20.—Poona Races.
„ 22.—Poona Races.
„ 25.—Poona Races.
„ 26.—Town Council Meeting.
„ 27.—Poona Races.
„ 29.—Poona Races.
Legislative Council, Poona.
Oct. 4.—Poona Horse Show.
„ 10.—Central Rifle Meeting.
„ 11.—Central Rifle Meeting.
„ 12.—Central Rifle Meeting.
„ 13.—Central Rifle Meeting.
„ 15.—Mysore Sky Races.
„ 16.—Central Rifle Meeting.
„ 17.—Mysore Sky Races.
Central Rifle Meeting.
„ 18.—Central Rifle Meeting.
„ 19.—Mysore Sky Races.
Central Rifle Meeting.
„ 20.—Central Rifle Meeting.
„ 22.—Central Rifle Meeting.
„ 30.—Lucknow Autumn Races.
Nov. 1.—Lucknow Autumn Races.
„ 3.—Lucknow Autumn Races.
„ 6.—Meerut Autumn Races.
„ 8.—Meerut Autumn Races.
„ 10.—Meerut Autumn Races.
„ 17.—Hyderabad Races.
Sonepore Races.
„ 20.—Hyderabad Races.
Sonepore Races.
„ 22.—Hyderabad Races.
Sonepore Races.
„ 24.—Hyderabad Races.
Dec. 15.—Dinner to Lord Dufferin by the Byculla Club.
„ 19.—Madras Races.
„ 22.—Calcutta Races (First Meeting).
Madras Races.
„ 24.—Madras Races.
„ 26.—Calcutta Races (First Meeting).
Madras Races.
„ 29.—Calcutta Races (First Meeting).

PARTY POETRY.

HERE are two samples—the latter not quite new—of the way in which politicians at home who do not like Mr. Gladstone find means of letting the world know it:—

THE G.O.M.

When the Grand Old Man goes to his doom
He will ride in a fiery chariot,
And sit in state
On a red-hot plate
Twixt Satan and Judas Iscariot.
Says the Devil, "My place is quite full, as you see
But I'll try and do all that I can.
So I'll let Ananias and Judas go free,
And take in the Grand Old Man.
But the Devil soon found the whole thing a sell,
For old Gladdy corrupted all people in Hell.

GONE, GONE.

Gone from the sweets of office,
Gone from the head of affairs;
Gone in the head, they tell us;
Gone—and nobody cares;
Gone, not to join the angels,
Gone to reflect on the past,
Gone into Opposition;
Gladstone's gone at last!
Gone, let us hope for ever,
Gone, whither none can tell,
Gone, let us hope to Heaven,
There are devils enough in Hell.
Says Satan, "The place is as full as can be,
But I like to make room if I can."
So he let Ananias and Judas go free,
And took in the Grand Old Man.

THE works on the Lundi Kotal plateau are progressing slowly but satisfactorily, and it is expected they will be finished by the end of January. Lieutenant MacDonald, who is in charge, will also prepare estimates for the projected road through the Mullagori country.

THE Governor of Herat reports that the Maimana loyal troops have expelled Ishak's supporter from Andkhoi and Daulatabad. Abdul Khan, the Governor of Badakshan, has collected four regiments at Khinjan preparatory to moving against Ishak, whose whereabouts is unknown.

AN anti-Congress meeting, composed of members of the ex-Royal Family of Oudh, and numerous nobility and gentry, mostly Mahomedan, was held at Lucknow on Sunday at the house of Nawab Mirza Mahomed Mehdi Ali, Khan Bahadur. The Nawab, we hear, "exposed the weak points of the so-called National Congress, and clearly showed the dangers which are likely to arise from the movements" and the following resolution was

CRICKET IN ENGLAND.

THE Canterbury week closed with a victory for Kent over Lancashire by nine wickets. Though Wotton was absent, Kent had a very strong team, while Messrs. Jowett and A. G. Steel and the Rev. J. R. Napier and Robinson were selected from the Lancashire eleven. Kent made 210 (Fox, not out, 61), and Lancashire only making 96 had to follow on, and then knocked up 135. Briggs' 56 was gained by some good cricket. Kent had thus 22 to make to win, which they did with the loss of one wicket, thus gaining the victory by nine wickets. Score:

KENT.—First Innings.

Mr W Rashleigh, c Crossfield, b Barlow	27	Mr F Marchant, c Pilling, b Watson	0
F Hearne, l b w, b Steel	7	Mr W H Patterson, b Barlow	27
A Hearne, run out	3	Mr M C Kemp, c Pilling, b Watson	8
Lord Harris, c and b Watson	15	Martin, b Watson	8
Mr G J M Fox not out	61	B 5, l b 1	6
G Hearne, b Briggs	12	Total	210

In the Second Innings Rashleigh scored (not out) 10 Harris (not out) 4, Wright, b Watson, 4; b 4, l b 1—Total 23.

LANCASHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Mr S M Crossfield, l b w, b Martin	0	l b w, b Wright	4
Barlow, b Wright	2	b Wright	0
P Ellis, b Wright	8	b Martin	2
Mr J Kooles, b Wright	16	c G Hearne, b Martin	21
Mr J Taylor, b Martin	1	b A Hearne	0
Briggs, c Harris, b Martin	6	c Harris, b A Hearne	56
Mr A N Hornby, b Wright	8	c Harris, b Martin	16
Mr R Steel, c Kempt, b A Hearne	27	st Harris, b A Hearne	18
Baker, l b w, b Wright	0	run out	14
Watson, c Harris, b Martin	1	not out	4
Pilling, not out	1	absent	0
B 4, l b 3	7	B	3
Total	96	Total	135

SURREY *VS.* SUSSEX.

Some phenomenal scoring by the Surrey Eleven marked the return match between these counties as stated last week. Five years ago the Sussex bowlers were punished to the tune of 631 runs in this same match, but that record was completely outdone in the match, and in fact the aggregate on that occasion was beaten by 67 runs. Winning the toss on Thursday, August 9th, and favoured for the first time this season by a really fast wicket, the strong batting of Surrey was seen to marked advantage. Mr Shuter and Abel scored at a good pace at the outset, and at luncheon time, at the end of the first hour, the score was 126, with both batsmen still in, Mr. Shuter having scored 72 and Abel 42. Thirty-five were added on the renewal before Abel was caught, and at the same total Mr. Shuter also retired, bowled by a good ball from Arthur Hide. Mr. Shuter had been batting nearly two hours and a half for his 95, and though he ought to have been caught at short-slip when he had made eleven, and a little later played one of Arthur Hide's on without dislodging a bail, his innings was altogether a very worthy of his reputation. Lohmann after making 24, was stumped, but Messrs. Read and Key scored fast off all the Sussex bowlers, and the total had been increased by no less than 193 runs when the latter played a ball from Mr. Newham into his wicket. Just at first Mr. Key was not quite at his ease, but when he settled down he got his runs with little effort and in free style. Mr Read continued to bat in his best form, and never losing an opportunity of scoring was not out at the close of the day, having contributed 128 to the huge aggregate of 424 for five wickets. Friday, too, saw some remarkable batting. Mr Read found a cosgenial partner in Mr. Bowden, and runs came at a great rate, 127 having been added in a little over an hour and a half, when Mr. Read was caught at the wicket. Until he had got 161, when he was missed at mid-off, he had made no mistake, and he has rarely if ever been seen to better advantage, his hitting all round being singularly clean and well-timed. Mr. Read was in altogether a little over four hours and a half, and during this time 380 runs had been added to the score. Chiefly through the brilliant all-round hitting of Mr Bowden 116 runs were added during his stay with Henderson in an hour and twenty minutes, and the amateur ultimately carried out his bat at the close of a most remarkable display of batting. Every one of the Sussex eleven was tried with the the ball during the innings, which lasted eight hours and fifty minutes, and the total was only two short of seven hundred when the tenth wicket fell, the runs being made at the rate of 80 an hour. This exceeds by 43 the highest previous record in a first-class match in England, Surrey's 650 against Oxford University at the Oval last June, and by 67 the best total in a first class inter-County match, 631 by Surrey against Sussex at the Oval in 1883. Mr Bowden's 189 not out was one of the very best features of a most remarkable innings. He gave two chances after he had got his hundred, but a better display of free and judicious hitting has not been seen for a long time, and in proof of this it need only be added that he was in just three hours and a half for his score, which included a five and twenty-five fours. Tired after their long outing, as the Sussex batsmen must have been, they only made a poor show against the bowling of Lohmann and Beaumont, and in two hours and ten minutes the innings was over for an unexpectedly small total of 144. Going in a second time in a minority of 58½ runs, Mr. Smith and Arthur Hide made a better start, and at the end of the day one batsman (A. Hide) was gone with the total 31. Mr. Smith on Saturday morning, too, played well, and at one time the score was 99 with only two batsmen out. When Lohmann, however, went on to bowl the end soon came, and though the wicket was still fast and true the remaining batsmen only added 19, so that the game came to a premature termination, leaving Surrey with a decisive victory by an innings and 168 runs. In the two innings of Sussex Lohmann took twelve wickets for 78 runs. Full score:

SURREY.

Abel, c A Hide, b J Hide	59	Mr M P Bowden, not out	189
Mr J Shuter, b A Hide	95	Henderson, c A Hide, b Greeson	33
Lohmann, St Phillips, b Humphreys	24	Wood, b Greeson	5
Mr W W Read, c Phillips, b A Hide	171	Beaumont, b Smith	7
Mr K J Key, b Newham	84	Bowl-y, b Smith	18
Read, c and b Humphreys	12	B 13, l b 5	698
		Total	

SUSSEX.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Mr F H Greeson, c Abel, b Lohmann	2	b Beaumont	3
Quaife, b Bowley	10	c Bowden, b Lohmann	0
Mr W Newham, c Lohmann, b Beaumont	4	c and b Beaumont	24
Mr J M Cotterill, b Lohmann	14	c and b Lohmann	5
J Hide, c Wood, b Bowley	15	c and b Lohmann	0
Humphreys, c and b Lohmann	9	not out	8
Mr G Brann, c Shuter, b Lohmann	5	c W Read, b Beaumont	4
Mr O A Smith, b Lohmann	29	b Lohmann	37
A Hide, not out	23	b Bowley	18
Phillips, b Lohmann	1	c Beaumont, b Lohman	0
Tate, c Abel, b Lohmann	3	c W Read, b Lohmann	0
B	1	B	4
Total	114	Total	99

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

SURREY.

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
A. Hide	73	30	18	2	Newham	12	2	51	1
J. Hide	57	21	105	1	Quaife	6	1	23	0
Tate	30	9	79	0	Brann	6	2	7	0
Smith	36.1	11	66	2	Cotterill	5	2	20	0
Humphreys	27	5	61	2	Phillips	5	1	21	0
Greeson	23	3	68	2					

SUSSEX.

	First Innings.				Second Innings.			
	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Lohmann	34	15	56	6		13	3	24	6
Beaumont	8	2	11	1		27	14	44	2
Bowley	18	8	31	2		13	6	20	1
W. W. Read	6	0	16	1		3	3	3	0

GLOUCESTERSHIRE *VS.* THE AUSTRALIANS.

It was due to this county that the Colonists met their first reverse after a long succession of victories At Clifton on Saturday, 11th ult., they won by the very substantial majority of 257 runs. The Gloucestershire men fielded admirably, only missing one catch, and the bowling was excellent. Roberts did especially well, taking five wickets at a cost of only 45 runs. Woof it will be seen, also bowled with a capital average Gloucestershire had never before beaten an Australian team, and the county's victory was enthusiastically received by a large company. The match was fairly won by first-rate cricket, and the Gloucestershire team deserve all the compliments that can be paid them. The Australians ought to have done much better in their first innings, and they, of course, handicapped themselves considerably by giving Turner a rest. The record of the Colonial team now stood—16 matches won, six lost, six drawn. It is a curious and noteworthy fact that five of the defeats have been inflicted by county elevens—namely, Lancashire, Notts, Leicestershire, Sussex, and Gloucestershire. Full score:

GLOUCESTERSHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Mr W G Grace, b Ferris	6	c Blackham, b Lyons	51
Mr E M Grace, c Bannerman, b Ferris	16	c Bannerman, b Ferris	0
Mr W F Pullen, c and b Lyons	7	b Ferris	3
Painter, b Worrall	57	b Lyons	4
Mr G Radcliffe, c Edwards, b Lyons	29	c Blackham, b Boyle	20
Mr H Brain, b Ferris	0	b Ferris	6
Mr F Townsend, b Trott	66	c Boyle, b Ferris	22
Mr H V Pace, run out	4	c Lyons, b Edwards	24
Mr E Peake, not out	23	c Bonnor, b Lyons	6
Woof, c Blackham, b Worrall	15	not out	0
Roberts, c Worrall, b Boyle	3	b Lyons	0
B 1, l b 2	3	B 5, l b 1, w 1, n b 1	8
Total	214	Total	212

AUSTRALIANS.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
A C Bannerman, b Woof	0	run out	17
J McC Blackham, b Peake	10	c and b Roberts	6
H Trott, b W G Grace	39	c Radcliffe, b Roberts	26
G J Bonnor, c and b Peake	3	c Woof, b Roberts	5
S P Jones, b Peake	0	c Pace, b Roberts	0
J Edwards, c and b Townsend	7	not out	35
J J Lyons, c Roberts, b W G Grace	6	c E M Grace, b Woof	0
P S McDonnell, b W G Grace	43	c Radcliffe, b W G Grace	38
J Worrall, c Townsend, b Roberts	9	c W G Grace, b Woof	2
J J. Ferris, c Radcliffe, b W. G. Grace	0	c Brain, b Woof	3
H. F. Boyle not out	2	b Roberts	0
B 6, l b 1	8	L-b 1, n-b 1	2
Total	143	Total	186

AUSTRALIANS.—Second Innings.

	Overs.	Maidens.	Runs.	Wickets.
Roberts	32·3	12	45	5
Woof	12	4	31	3
Mr. Peake	5	0	17	0
Mr. W. G. Grace	19	9	33	1
Mr. Townsend	3	0	18	0

Mr. Steel, though asked, could not accept the invitation of the Surrey Committee, but otherwise the team gave general satisfaction, and if Mr. Steel had replaced Sugg, it would have been as strong as it could possibly have been made. As the wicket was in splendid condition it was thought that there would be some high scoring. There was a vociferous cheer when, from the third ball, Lohmann caught the Australian captain finely at short-slip, falling down on his knee in securing the ball. Peel, who began the bowling with Lohmann, gave way to Briggs at 20, and in two overs the new bowler clean bowled both Trott and Bonner, the latter playing very tamely and falling to the second ball he had. When Edwards joined Bannerman the game became very tedious and not a run was made for fourteen overs. Lohmann, who at one time had bowled fourteen maidens in succession, handed the ball to Barnes at 40, and without another run Bannerman, who had been in nearly an hour and a half for his 13, fell to another magnificent catch at cover-slip by Lohmann, who fell over with the ball. After this, no one but Ferris lent Edwards any assistance, and the innings, which had lasted two hours and a half, ended at half past three o'clock. Edwards' 26 was the feature of a very moderate display of batting. Going in third wicket down at 22, he was last out, and with the exception of an easy chance to short-slip when he had made eight, made no mistake during the two hours he was in. Briggs bowled with remarkable success considering the excellence of the pitch. He delivered 37 overs for 25 runs and five wickets, all of them clean bowled. The spectators were fairly jubilant when England went in with such a small total against them, but their hopes fell when two of the best wickets—those of Mr. Grace and Ulyett—went with the score only 6. Mr. Shuter and Read improved matters somewhat, but still with four of the best wickets down for 53 things were much more promising for the Australians than had seemed probable at first. On Barnes joining Abel though, the batting showed an improvement, and the best cricket of the day was witnessed. The two professionals scored very evenly for a long time, and when Barnes was out he had made 62 out of 112 added during his partnership. The out-going batsman has not been for a long time seen to better advantage, and his play was without a fault. Sugg, the next to join Abel, had a life at slip when he had made a single, and though he did not shape at all well, was not out at the close of the day with Abel, who had batted in admirable style for his 65. During the day 14,750 persons paid for admission to the ground, and this number was increased on Tuesday. Sugg, on the resumption, had another life at short-slip, and the next over a stupidly sharp run dismissed Abel, who had been upwards of two hours at the wickets, and made no mistake in the attainment of his 70. Peel, who followed Abel, batted steadily and well, and thanks to the exceptionally fine hitting of Lohmann the last wicket added as many as 58 runs. The Surrey bowler hit all round with equal freedom, and the quality of his cricket can be proved by the fact that he got his sixty-two not out in fifty-five minutes without anything like a mistake. Turner, who had been left out of the Gloucestershire match through indisposition, took six wickets, but he did not seem to be at all well, and his figures were not as good as usual. With a lead of 237 on the first innings, England's chances were particularly hopeful, and when the Australian captain, after making 33 out of 34, was bowled off his leg by a fast ball from Peel, they were materially improved. Trott, too, came in only to be cleverly stumped, and when the Surrey wicket-keeper caught Bonnor soon afterwards, the three most dangerous batsmen on the side were gone. A clever catch at point which got rid of Edwards brought the end closer, and when Wood threw Ferris out very smartly, five wickets were down for 62. Bannerman, after being in an hour and twenty-five minutes for five, played on a run later, and though Turner gave a little interest to the game, the result was soon placed beyond a doubt. When at last the tenth wicket fell for 100 England was left with a most decisive victory by an innings and 137 runs. Barnes and Peel bowled exceedingly well, and the former's figures were particularly noteworthy. The spectators were highly pleased at the easy win of the Englishmen, and hundreds assembled in front of the pavilion, a larger number remaining some time to greet the successful players. On Tuesday 16,207 passed through the turnstiles, so that the shilling was paid by 39,075 persons in the two days, giving a gross sum of £1,547 17s. taken at the gates.

AUSTRALIA.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
A C Bannerman, c Lohmann, b Barnes	13	b Barnes	5
P S McDonnell, c Lohmann, b Peel	0	b Peel	32
H Trott, b Briggs	13	st Wood, b Peel	4
G J Bonner, b Briggs	0	c Wood, b Barnes	5
Mr E Edwards, b Lohmann	26	c W. Read, b Barnes	0
A. H. Jarvis, b Briggs	0	b Peel	8
S. M. J. Woods, run out	0	c Abel, b Barnes	7
C. T. B. Turner, b Briggs	0	b Peel	13
J. M'Blackham, b Briggs	0	c Lohmann, b Barnes	4
J Worrall, c Grace, b Barnes	8	not out	0
J. J. Ferris, not out	13	run out	16
B 1, l b 1	2	L-b	1
Total	80	Total	100

ENGLAND.

Dr W G Grace, c Edwards, b Turner	1	Sugg, b Turner	31
Mr A Shuter, b Turner	28	Peel, b Woods	25
Ulyett, c Blackham, b Turner	0	Briggs, b Woods	0
Mr W W Read, b Turner	18	Barnes, not out	63
Abel, run out	70	Wood, c Bannerman, b Ferris	8
Barnes, c Worrall, b Turner	63	B 6, l b 4, w 2	12
		Total	317

BOWLING ANALYSIS.

AUSTRALIA.

First Innings.	O.	M.	R.	W.	Second Innings.	O.	M.	R.	W.
Lohmann	29·3	21	21	4		4	11	6	
Peel	8	4	11	1		28·2	13	49	4
Briggs	37	24	25	5		6	3	7	0
Barnes	16	9	18	1		39	16	33	5

ENGLAND.

	O.	M.	R.	W.		O.	M.	R.	W.
Turner	60	24	112	6	Woods	42	10	80	2
Ferris	35·2	15	73	1	Worrall	4	1	15	0
Trott	7	2	25	1					

SUSSEX *VS.* LANCASHIRE.

The Lancashire Eleven, unsuccessful in their two matches against Surrey and Kent, and weakened still further by the absence of Briggs and Sugg, who were playing for England against Australia at the Oval, had to endure another defeat by nine wickets at Brighton. Sussex thus gained its first important county match this season. Score:

LANCASHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings	
Mr A N Hornby, b A Hide	2	b A Hide	1
Barlow, b Smith	0	c and b J Hide	1
Mr J Kooles, b A Hide	9	b Greeson	3
Mr R E Steel, b A Hide	1	b Humphreys	27
Mr F Taylor, b A Hide	1	b Smith	40
Mr A Kemble, b Smith	0	b A Hide	0
Baker, b A Hide	0	b J Hide	9
Mr S M Crosfield, c Humphreys, b J Hide	19	c Smith, b J Hide	28
Yates, c J Hide, b Tate	41	run out	12
Watson, b A Hide	9	not out	6
Pilling, not out	25	c Humphreys, b Smith	5
B 4, l b 5	9	L-b	5
Total	121	Total	171

SUSSEX.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Mr F H Greeson, c and b Barlow	8	Mr G Brann, lbw, b Watson	0
Quaife, b w b Steel	33	A Hide, b Barlow	11
Mr W Newham, b Barlow	0	Phillips, not out	3
Mr J M Cotterill, b Barlow	8	Tate, c Pilling, b Watson	5
J Hide, b Steel	7	B 4, l b 3	7
Humphreys, b Watson	33	Total	155
Mr O A Smith, b Watson	33		

In the Second Innings Greeson scored 1 b w, b Watson 19, Quaife (not out) 56, Newham (not out) 51; b 3, l b 3.—Total, 132.

SURREY *VS.* LANCASHIRE.

There was a full and interesting day's cricket in the return match between these counties at Kennington Oval. Surrey went in first and put together an innings of 224, no fewer than eight batsmen reaching double figures, and four of these each scoring 50. Maurice Read hit up 74, which was the highest individual score of the day, and Mr. W. W. Read and Abel made 54 each, and Mr. Shuter 51. Lancashire in their 65 minutes' play, at the close lost one wicket in making 59, Mr. Eccles being not out at the drawing of stumps for